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This picture of an apparent tornado was taken yesterday from a balcony at Market Lane near Islington and Woodbridge avenues. More coverage, page 2.

'Destruction'

Suspected tornadoes leave one dead; widespread damage

T.O. Twisters

An angry black curtain of cloud carved a sudden and destructive swath across southern Ontario on Thursday, killing at least one person as a series of suspected tornadoes flattened buildings, stripped roofs off homes and toppled trees and power lines.

In the tiny town of Durham, Ont., south of Owen Sound, police confirmed a lone fatality but refused to comment on reports the victim was an 11-year-old boy. Witnesses said the person was inside a workshop when it collapsed.

"It's complete destruction," said resident Gord Becker, who described how several buildings were levelled by the storm as a low, rotating bank of cloud roared its way through town.



"We share our thoughts and prayers with any who have lost lives or have dislocation because of this." —Stephen Harper

So severe was the threat at one point, Environment Canada took the unusual step of advising people to take shelter in basements or other secure areas.

In Toronto, there were reports of a funnel cloud being sighted near the busy Yonge and Bloor intersection. Motorists tried to negotiate debris-strewn roads awash in ponds of heavy rain, many of them dark and without functioning traffic lights.

The storm, which is just the latest instance of severe, spectacular weather in recent days, followed several days of sweltering heat and oppressive humidity.

Environment Canada said it considered the events of the day the

worst it had seen in years.

"From year to year we do tend to get at least one big defining event and it does appear the events of Aug. 20 will be one of these large scale events," said meteorologist Geoff Coulson.

Teams will be going out to Durham and areas north of the Toronto area over the next few days to assess the extent of the damage and rate the strength of the suspected tornadoes.

Residents in Vaughan reported seeing the roofs torn from homes and businesses.

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Storm tally

1 Twisters: Suspected tornadoes reported in Durham, Vaughan and Newmarket

2 Casualties: 1 person killed

3 Power: 69,000 Hydro One customers in darkness

4 Travel: Numerous flights at Pearson International Airport cancelled or delayed

5 TTC: Sections of subway shut down

6 Damage: Debris was scattered across the parking lot of a mall, including concrete blocks and a satellite dish. Cars were displaced from their parking spots, streetlights were out and signs were broken

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"Wow — can't believe there was a tornado in Toronto."

—lamJulianne

"Things found in Toronto tornado: Timbits, squeegee kids, Stephen Harper's dignity"

—barbhaynes

"Uhh ... so roofs got torn off houses 20 min away from me ... Toronto is suddenly Tornado Alley? And I was complaining of squishy wet shoes ..." —romimoondi

"Wow that was some storm! Tornado funnel clouds in downtown Toronto ..." —dragoniden



QUOTES FROM TWITTER.COM

A Toronto police officer has been cleared of any wrongdoing in relation to a car crash that occurred in late July. The collision took place on July 25 after a police officer had pursued a car that was travelling at a high rate of speed near O'Connor Drive and Victoria Park Avenue. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

Local



Do you smell burned toast?

Traffic on the Toronto-bound QEW was snarled Thursday morning after a tractor trailer carrying bread was engulfed in flames on the Burlington Skyway. Emergency crews were called to the highway around 5 a.m. after a rig carrying bread rear-ended another carrying steel, said the OPP. While the blaze was quickly put out, the roadway remained closed for hours as investigators and ambulance officials remained at the scene. No injuries were reported. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**



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Residents without power

69,000 in dark as tornadoes touch down all over province

T.O. Twisters

Close to 69,000 Ontario residents were left without power after a series of destructive thunderstorms and several tornadoes ripped through southwestern Ontario Thursday night.

Over half of these residents are in the area of Owen Sound and Walkerton, which is just north of Durham, Ont., where a tornado was spotted.

Another 6,000 people in cottage country near Georgian Bay and in Muskoka are also in the dark this evening, said Hydro One representative Daniele Gauvin.

Hydro One was still receiving calls late last night and couldn't give an exact number for the York region — but it was believed a number homes and businesses in the York region, were without power. In Toronto, subway service was suspended between Wilson and Downsview stations after line outages. There were also multiple pockets of power outages throughout the city and downtown.

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Parts of this Durham-area home was destroyed after a tornado touched down late Thursday night.

When a tornado threatens

- Take shelter immediately preferably in the lower level of a sturdy building.
- Stay away from windows, doors and exterior walls. Flying glass is extremely dangerous.
- Don't waste time opening windows to keep pressure from building up in the house. It's unlikely to help anyway.
- Outdoors, with no shelter

available, lie flat in a ditch, ravine or other low-lying area, and shield your head with your arms.

• Don't get caught in a vehicle or mobile home, which the tornado can lift. Take shelter elsewhere or, if none is available, even a ditch offers better protection.

• Beware of flying debris. Even small objects such as

sticks and straw can become lethal missiles.

• In heavy rain, be on the lookout for flash floods.

• When swimming or boating, always head to shore at the first sight of a storm.

• Remember that damaged and weakened structures, fallen debris, downed electrical wires, and gas leaks are potential dangers after a storm.

One house spared amongst Durham-region destruction

STORM The tornado cut a swatch diagonally from the south end of Durham knocking hundred of trees down like match sticks and laying waste to building, but miraculously skirted around one man's

home. "I was watching the ball game on TV when the first thing I knew glass was all over the floor and things were flying around outside," said Jack Marchment as he surveyed the damage

to his shed and a large uprooted tree that came crashing down on his front lawn.

"We're pretty lucky the house wasn't hit as bad as everything else around here," he added.

Other than several broken windows, some missing shingles and a shifted back deck, there was minimal damage done to his home. The Durham region was the hardest hit Thursday. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

History of twisters

In and around the GTA

• **July 6, 1985** — Mississauga A tornado in the Meadowdale area injured 10 people and caused \$400,000 damage.

• **Aug. 4, 1999** — Burlington A tornado with a winding but narrow path damaged property and moved a motorhome two kilometres from where it had been parked in Burlington's north end.

• **Aug. 19, 2005** — Numerous tornadoes touched down in southern Ontario, damaging homes in Kitchener and Guelph.

• The same storm cell later triggered a tornado warning in Toronto and caused extensive flooding in the Greater Toronto Area. It washed out roads and damaged storm sewers and electrical systems, causing more than \$500 million in damage. The Insurance Bureau of Canada said was the highest insured loss in the province's history.

• **Nov. 9, 2005** — Hamilton A late-season tornado tore off part of a school roof and damaged businesses and homes.

• **July 17, 2006** — Newmarket. Two tornadoes hit, packing winds of 120 kilometres and hour to 170 km/h. The twisters caused a 10-kilometre swath of damage near Woodbine Avenue and Davis Drive.

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Correction

Ms. Frances Gunn, as assistant professor at Ryerson University's Ted Rogers School of Retail Management, was misidentified in an article that appeared in yesterday's Metro. Metro apologizes for the error.



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The CRTC is being asked to halt the growing problem of tele-hackers who set up fake 1-900 numbers in order to rack up large telephone bills from unsuspecting individuals and businesses. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

CNE hosts contest for Toronto song

MUSIC Frank Sinatra immortalized the city that never sleeps in New York, New York.

Toronto? Despite our large music scene, it's hard to think of a single iconic song.

Tonight, the city will try to change that. At the Canadian National Exhibition, 10 different acts will face off in an American Idol-style showdown for the right to have their original pean to the city chosen as an official Toronto song.

Before now, the few musical tributes to the city have included Toronto Song, a bizarre little ditty sung by Groucho Marx, in which a man suggests to his wife they should run away to Hogtown to escape some sponging relatives. There's also The Toronto Song by Edmonton comedy troupe Three Dead Trolls in a Baggage, whose lyrics complain: "The rent's too high/The air's

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unclean/The beaches are dirty/And the people are mean."

Not exactly the stuff that entices tourists to the Big Smoke.

Local musicians and critics aren't entirely sure there isn't already a great Toronto song.

"The attitude in rock music is that it's cheesy to sing about something as small as Canada," says Alan Cross, host of the Ongoing History of New Music.

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CRTC panel to deliberate over scofflaw telemarketers

Will determine whether do-not-call-list rules were knowingly violated

The CRTC is to hold secret talks next week to determine whether or not three unidentified telemarketers knowingly violated the national do-not-call list.

The agency has

gone to extraordinary lengths to ensure you don't know who the telemarketers are and what they did. They won't even let you know when exactly the three CRTC commissioners are going to talk to each other by phone.

The Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission took

the step of striking the panel after the telemarketers refused to pay undisclosed fines.

"It's a meeting of a panel (only) ... they review what they have on file and make a determination. It is not a public hearing," said a CRTC spokesperson.

He said if the three commissioners, Timothy Denton, Louise Poirier and Michel Arpin (vice-chair broadcasting), determine the telemarketers violated the almost year-old rules only then will their names be published along with

the fine on the CRTC website.

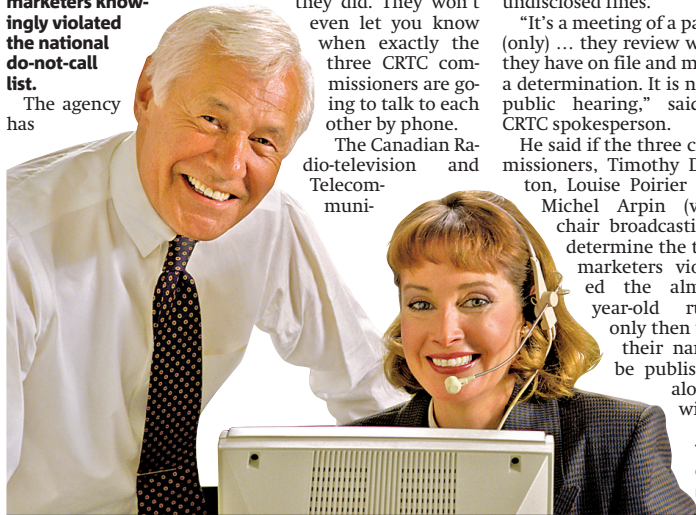
The three being hauled on the carpet may only be a tiny fraction of telemarketers flouting the law.

The entire process has been shrouded in secrecy and critics say it is hard to believe a government agency would shield scofflaw telemarketers by first refusing to name them, then conducting a hearing behind closed doors.

The no-call list law was introduced in September 2008 to protect consumers from being bothered by telemarketers. Some seven million telephone numbers have been registered on the do-not-call list.

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The CRTC is holding talks next week to determine whether or not three telemarketers violated do-not-call rules.



Increased demand means more Oshawa OT

LABOUR Canadian Auto Workers president Ken Lewenza says the Chrysler plant in Windsor, Ont., is ready to begin producing minivans for the European market as soon as they're given the go-ahead.

Lewenza says the new vehicle won't result in any laid off workers being hired back, but increased demand means the three shifts at the plant will go back to working full time starting next week.

The news is another bright spot for the Canadian automotive industry.

Earlier this week, General Motors said 350 workers will be called back to the company's joint-venture CAMI plant in the southwestern Ontario town of Ingersoll due to increased demand for GM products.

And workers at the GM plant in Oshawa, Ont., will



Canadian Auto Workers president Ken Lewenza made several announcements regarding the automotive industry, including increased hours in October for workers at Oshawa's GM plant.

be asked to work overtime into October.

Lewenza says the an-

nouncements are great news, but he's concerned that the improved demand

for North American vehicles isn't sustainable.

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Discord over Kaylee trust fund money?

MONEY Two Bradford women who volunteered to manage a trust fund for baby Kaylee Vitelli are struggling with the infant's parents over how the money should be spent.

The donating public was promised it would go toward medical supplies or medical research. The women said Kaylee's parents, Jason Wallace and Crystal Vitelli, want to use it to purchase a used SUV-style vehicle.

"Say in two or three

years from now she needs something," said Charlene Beverley, who manages the fund with Karen Rundle.

Beverley added: "She might need special shoes, she might need braces, she might need glasses, that is what we wanted that money to be used for, not to upgrade a vehicle."

The women were contacted on Tuesday informing them that Kaylee's parents wanted the remainder of the money.

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News in brief

SENTENCE A Mississauga man's sentencing has been moved to Sept. 9 after he defrauded a young hockey player and his family of more than \$5,000. Randy Gumbley, 42, pleaded

guilty last month to one count of fraud over \$5,000. Gumbley also headed a group which organized a trip to a tournament that didn't happen.

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Flu-related antibiotic use down 64 per cent

HEALTH A new study shows influenza-related antibiotic use in Ontario dropped 64 per cent in the seven years after the province adopted a universal flu shot program.

The study looked at rates of antibiotics prescribed for respiratory infections from 1997 to 2007, finding they dropped to 6.4 per 1,000 people in Ontario from 17.9 per 1,000 people after the program was rolled out in 2000.

Influenza is a virus and does not respond to antibiotics, but doctors sometimes give them to patients anyway, because they often don't test to determine what is causing a respiratory illness.

Free shots

• Ontario was the first jurisdiction in the world to offer free flu shots to any resident who wants one, but has since been joined by Nunavut, while Alberta will join the list this fall.

As well, bouts of flu can lead to complications such as inner ear infections and pneumonia that are treatable with antibiotics.

Lead author Dr. Jeff Kwong says while Ontario's use of flu-related antibiotics was dropping, usage rates in other parts of the country remained static. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Solution targets children

Inoculating kids will go a long way to knocking out swine flu: Report

Flu Outbreak

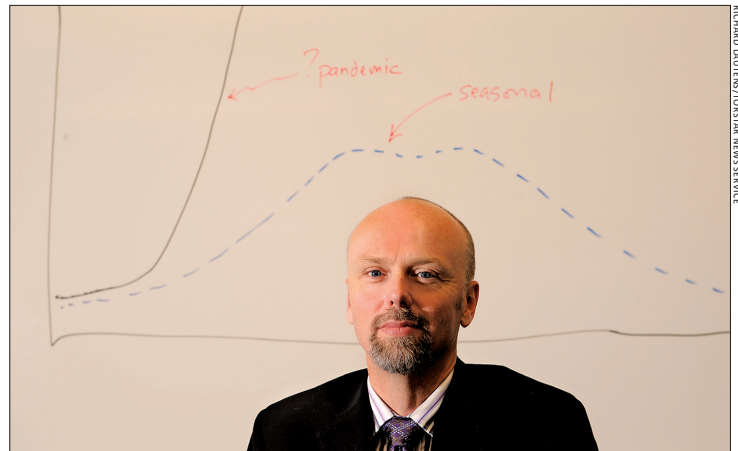
As Canadian health officials grapple with plans to combat a potential outbreak of influenza A (H1N1), also known as swine flu, this fall, a major new study suggests a can't-miss strategy to prevent its spread.

Make sure the (school) kids are all right.

In a paper published today in the journal *Science*, U.S. researchers say that mass inoculations of elementary and high school-aged children — and their parents — would knock out the key breeding grounds for any form of influenza.

And turning down the heat on these communicable disease cauldrons would prevent many of those most imperilled by flu — the very young and elderly — from catching the ailments in the first place.

It's an idea that intrigues one of Canada's top influenza experts, who will



Director of the Infectious Disease Prevention and Control Department of the Ontario Agency for Health Protection and Promotion Dr. Michael Gardam says mass inoculations of kids would knock out breeding grounds for influenza A (H1N1), also known as swine flu, virus.

likely offer it as an option at a Health Canada meeting next week where this country's H1N1 flu strategy will be hammered out.

"What I find interesting about this (paper) is that they're really focusing on the fact that young kids are the incubators of this," says Dr. Michael Gardam,

head of infectious disease control at Ontario's Agency for Health Protection and Promotion.

"I like to call them viral culture media on legs. That is their purpose in life to get infected with things."

Gardam says that the kids in turn infect their mobile parents, who cart

the viruses out to the workplace, grocery stores, theatres and old age homes. Thus priority targeting for flu vaccinations is the best way to keep population-wide outbreaks at bay with any strain of the disease, the paper's lead author says.

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News in brief

DOG Continued donations have now boosted to \$4,700 the reward for information leading to the owner of a shockingly neglected dog, dubbed "Phoenix," as his condition looks to be improving. Though test results that will eventually determine the underlying cause of the animal's

many infections have not yet returned, Durham Humane Society investigator Debby Houghton says Phoenix is doing better in the care of a veterinarian. "They're doing a very wonderful job, they know what they're doing," Houghton said, adding that he has been eating. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**



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Man arrested after shots fired from apartment balcony

Halton police say a 53-year-old man faces charges after shots were fired from an apartment balcony in Burlington. Police say they were called to the scene around 5:30 p.m. Wednesday after reports of a man firing a rifle from a balcony. Police say a pellet gun with a scope was seized. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Woman pleads guilty to baby shower murder

A tearful Mississauga mother Thursday admitted stabbing a friend to death during her baby shower.

Barbara Lanthier, 28, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the drug-related Feb. 16 stabbing death of Jay Kumar Atha, 21.

Lanthier was seven and a half months pregnant when she stabbed Atha in his heart during a brief scuffle inside the home she shared with her common-law husband on Church Avenue in Malton.

"It's the right thing to do," a tearful Lanthier told Justice Bruce Durno in a Brampton courtroom when asked if she was "voluntarily" pleading guilty to causing Atha's death by intentionally stabbing him "under circumstances of provocation." She was initially charged with second-degree murder.

Crown prosecutor Steve Sherriff is seeking a prison

Gave birth in jail

Barbara Lanthier gave birth in jail. Her four-month-old child is being raised by her common-law spouse.

sentence of between six to eight years. Her lawyer Deepak Paradkar is seeking a lesser term. She's to be sentenced Sept. 14.

Sherriff said Lanthier had a knife in her hand and was cutting fruit for her baby shower when Atha confronted her and demanded payment of a \$100 drug debt that was owed to him by her spouse. He had entered the residence by kicking in the door, court heard.

"There was a very brief scuffle," Sherriff said. "She already had a knife in her hand and used it to stab him in his chest."

Lanthier was a crack addict at the time, court heard. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**



Three people were taken to hospital with minor injuries after an SUV they were in rolled on its side on Jarvis Street, south of Gerrard Thursday morning.

Motorist doesn't get far from police

DOWNTOWN A motorist that backed into a police cruiser in an attempt to evade officers after being stopped on Jarvis Street Thursday morning did not get very far before the vehicle mounted the curb and tipped on its side.

The SUV was going south on Jarvis near Gerrard Street East with three occupants when it was pulled over on suspicion of being stolen at about 6 a.m.,

Toronto police said.

Officers called for backup and as responding cruisers came to box the vehicle in, the female driver reversed, crashing into the first cruiser before accelerating forward toward the right curb, Smith said.

As the vehicle mounted the curb, it struck a planter, sending the SUV onto its right side and trapping one of the passengers for some time.

All three occupants were taken to St. Michael's Hospital with minor injuries.

Preliminary investigations have determined that the province's Special Investigations Unit will not be called. Charges are pending against the three occupants of the vehicle.

Both directions of Jarvis were shut down between Dundas and Gerrard for several hours.

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Debating dialysis vs. transplant

KIDNEY FAILURE With more than 1,200 Ontarians on the wait list for a kidney transplant, doctors are constantly seeking new ways to prevent deaths while patients wait for organs.

On Thursday, a team of Toronto-led researchers reported patients who receive home hemodialysis at night have as good a chance at surviving kidney failure as patients who receive a transplant. But that finding was quickly dismissed by others.

Dr. Christopher Chan, the study's lead author and medical director of home hemodialysis at Toronto General Hospital, said the results of the 12-year study means he can now tell his patients that using a machine to filter their blood of toxins while they sleep is "a suitable alternative" to receiving a kidney from a deceased donor.

Experts are hesitant to hail the finding as a way to address the chronic kidney shortage in Canada. "At best it points to the need for a follow-up study," said Dr. Peter Nickerson, a transplant physician at the University of Manitoba.

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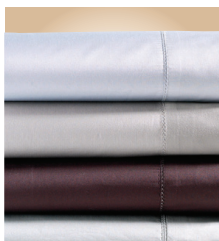
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Pilot's body found

Police have located the body of helicopter pilot Robert Woodhead, who was killed while fighting a B.C. forest fire. Woodhead, 53, from Stoney Creek, died when his chopper crashed into the Fraser River last Saturday. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Stripped of his dignity

Taxman loses to stripper in court

In a legal showdown with a stripper, the taxman has been caught with his pants down.

The legal saga over \$2 million in undeclared revenue began at Chez Paree — a pricey Montreal strip club.

Martine Landry was a dancer there and was particularly popular with one rich, elderly customer — a publishing-industry magnate, now 80, who showered her with gifts worth about \$2 million.

Like many Canadians, Landry had a difference of opinion with the federal taxman about how much money she actually owed.

The feds demanded \$602,617. But the Tax Court of Canada sided with Landry.

Judge Robert Hogan ruled the gifts could not be taxed.

Price of love

• Martine Landry's admirer showered her with gifts: worth about \$2 million: A Corvette, money to buy a BMW, eight fur coats, jewels, a vacation, cash to buy a big downtown bar and get out of the dancing business, and \$168,000 in \$1,000 bills for a down payment on a house.

Landry was awarded \$35,000, less than the \$50,000 her lawyers had been seeking.

But the story's not over: Revenue Quebec still wants \$643,000 in taxes and penalties and that case is playing out in a Quebec court.

Landry is also now considering a lawsuit against the Canada Revenue Agency. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Jobs Premier maps out the road ahead



Premier Dalton McGuinty chats with public works employees in Peterborough, where he announced that the province is creating almost 170 jobs through road and bridge construction work — including 5.6 kilometres of Highway 7. The total cost of the project is \$23 million.

El talks bog down

POLITICS A panel on Employment Insurance reform, set up in June to avert a summer federal election, appears to have ground to a stalemate.

The Conservative and Liberal teams wrapped up their last scheduled meeting without agreeing to a further timetable, and without — say Liberals — any firm proposals from the government side.

A Liberal plan to create a national EI eligibility standard of 360 hours was shot down.

Now the Liberals are asking Kevin Page, Parliament's independent budget officer, to do his own cost analysis of their plan.

The creation of the EI panel was the modest price Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff extracted from Prime Minister Stephen Harper in June in return for Liberal support. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Terrorist loses passport fight

COURTS A convicted terrorist living in Canada has lost his battle to get a passport.

The Supreme Court of Canada refused Thursday to hear an appeal from Fateh Kamel, who was denied a passport because of national security.

The Algerian-born Kamel has been a Canadian citizen since 1993.

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Commons seat for May? Maybe, poll shows

POLITICS Will it be Elizabeth May MP one day?

A new poll suggests just over 40 per cent of Canadians would like to see the Green Party leader win a Commons seat.

The Canadian Press Harris-Decima survey indicates that only 36 per cent of those surveyed don't want her in Parliament.

A plurality supported May's election in every re-

gion but Quebec, where 45 per cent were opposed.

The survey suggests May's support is strongest among Liberal and NDP voters and weakest among Conservatives.

May is scouting around for a likely riding to contest in the next election.

The poll, part of an omnibus phone survey, questioned just over 1,000 people July 23-26 and is con-

sidered accurate to within 3.1 percentage points, 19 times in 20.

In the election last fall, May ran against Defence Minister Peter MacKay in Central Nova and lost.

Harris-Decima chief Jeff Walker said people want the Greens to do better. But he suggested the party has to go beyond its environmental focus.

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A Barrie, Ont., woman seeking a DNA test from actor Keanu Reeves because she claims he fathered her children has had her case put over until next month. Karen Sala, 46, is seeking financial compensation if genetic tests prove The Matrix star parented one or all of her four grown children. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Harper stands by military

PM says Arctic investment also aimed at region's needs

Prime Minister Stephen Harper says the military commitment of his Conservative government to the Arctic is not overshadowing the region's social and development needs.

He says he recognizes there are acute problems in the North, and they are being addressed by what he called his government's unprecedented community and infrastructure investments.

The comments came Thursday as Harper announced \$17 million to accelerate the construction of a harbour in Pangnirtung, Nunavut, a remote, tiny fishing hamlet on eastern Baffin Island.

Later, the prime minister was expected to make an announcement on labour development with the territories.

"The investments we're making here, while they may not satisfy all of the demands, these on a per-capita basis vastly exceed what we're doing in the



Prime Minister Stephen Harper, centre, Defence Minister Peter MacKay, right, and Cmdr. Alex Grant of the HMCS Toronto watch as CF-18 jets fly past with HMCS Corner Brook and Coast Guard ship Pierre Radisson in the background on Frobisher Bay, on Wednesday.

southern part of the country," he said outside of a community centre in the village of 1,500.

"So this is a series of investments and actions without precedent. I un-

derstand people can always criticize the balance, but these are actions without precedent in our history."

Yet communities throughout the territory

face a variety of social concerns, from high unemployment to youth homelessness.

Iqaluit and other communities face chronic power interruptions.

The territorial capital was hit with a two-hour power failure as Harper observed a military exercise from aboard HMCS Toronto in Frobisher Bay on Wednesday.

Harper dismissed some of the more scathing criticism as carping by opposition politicians.

"I know the opposition will criticize us for too much reliance on the military side but, let's be clear, in every trip I've been here, we've emphasized not just military, but also the actions we're taking in economic, social, environmental, development and on governance," he said.

"The Opposition when they were in office did none of these things. We are doing all of these things."

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Mining industry bemoans regulatory issues in N.W.T.

MINING Another northern mining project is facing court action.

Two area aboriginal bands filed court documents Thursday claiming they weren't adequately consulted on a lithium project north of Yellowknife by North Arrow Minerals.

Industry spokesmen say it's another example of how vague legislation and unresolved land claims are stunting development in the Northwest Territories.

On the other hand, mine construction and exploration continue to move ahead in the Yukon and Nunavut.

"The complexity of (the regulatory regime) has just been chasing people to other jurisdictions," said Mike

Reform

• In 2008, an Indian Affairs consultant filed a report on northern regulatory reform. All but four of the report's 22 recommendations concerned the N.W.T. None has been implemented.

Vaydik of the N.W.T. and Nunavut Chamber of Mines.

Lutsel K'e Chief Steven Nitah, who is a party to the lawsuit, said sorting out regulatory issues would help business much more than the \$10-million-a-year federal development agency the prime minister announced for the North earlier this week.

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News in brief

BACTERIA An increasing number of Canadian soldiers are bringing home from the front lines of Afghanistan an opportunistic, drug-resistant bacterium that has had health officials worried for several years. Three Canadian soldiers who recently returned from Kandahar carry-

ing so-called "Iraqibacter" are under quarantine at a Quebec City hospital.

QUEBEC The Parti Québécois is brainstorming to find ways to revive its sagging fortunes at a two-day caucus meeting in Trois-Rivières, Que.

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The Beginning

In 1996, Tao Ti arrived in Hong Kong from Taiwan as a pioneer for the first ready-to-drink (RTD) tea beverages. Their first and most popular RTD tea beverage was Tao Ti Green Tea (with honey). It soon became the hottest drink in Hong Kong and to this day still maintains its leading role.

Diversification

In order to fulfill demands for this popular beverage, Tao Ti has developed many teas in different flavours - including Apple, Honey and Lemon. Adding fruit juice and floral flavours to their green teas provides more choices to consumers.

Following the popularity of Tao Ti in Hong Kong, the manufacturers have decided to bring the refreshing and healthy alternative to Canada. With Tao Ti currently being sold at retailers in Toronto and Vancouver, Canadians can now enjoy this refreshing, great-tasting beverage, without the worry of consuming "excess baggage" of unhealthy ingredients.

Quality

Today, scientific research is providing hard evidence for the health benefits long associated with drinking green tea. For example, the antioxidants in green tea may prevent and reduce the severity of rheumatoid arthritis and in 1994 the Journal of the National Cancer Institute published the results of an epidemiological study indicating that drinking green tea reduced the risk of esophageal cancer in Chinese men and women by nearly sixty per cent.

Tao Ti has spent a lot of time in developing high-quality tea, making it a great choice for Canadians and has been recognized in Asia for its high-quality, taste and health benefits.

Benefits of green tea:

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- Catechins: Increases the metabolic rate and helps to control blood sugar levels
- Flavonoids: Strengthens the immune system against infection
- Tannins: Assists in easing and preventing indigestion, natural anti-inflammatory
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- Theanine: Positive affects on the brain, resulting in better sleep and improved mental focus

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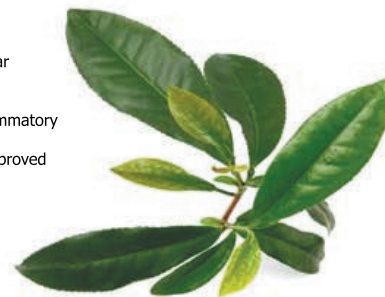
- Brewed with natural ingredients creating lower BRUX (sugar) levels
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Rationale

Tao Ti has, from the beginning, always based its virtues on natural elements. All the Tao Ti tea beverages are brewed using only the freshest and highest premium tea leaves available. By providing such beverages, Tao Ti aims to educate and mature the community in Hong Kong and around the world about the benefits of green tea beverages. To follow Tao Ti's mission, Tao Ti aims to have everyone live a fuller and healthier lifestyle.

Tao Ti International

Tao Ti has developed their international markets in recent years. A strong Asian presence in Canada and Australia help to maintain their brand image of healthy lifestyles overseas. Tao Ti aims to provide world consumers with green tea beverages that are refreshing, healthy and different from their regular beverages. For more information, visit www.taoti.ca.





Take Sushma and Baskar Rao. The software engineer and her chartered accountant husband landed in Canada on January 16 this year, and the very next day they applied for SIN cards and credit cards. Having activated their Canadian banking account while still in Bangalore (India), they were also able to transfer their funds to Canada with great ease – something that was not possible before Scotiabank launched the *Scotiabank StartRight™* program for newcomers to Canada.

Baskar was one of the first applicants in India to take advantage of the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program. “We had an account with Scotiabank in Canada within a week of applying in India, and within two or three weeks, we had remitted funds to Canada,” he says.

“The credit goes to my brother,” says Baskar, 34. “He told me to check out the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program for newcomers that Scotiabank offers through its branches and in partnership with HDFC Bank in India.”

Rania Llewellyn, Vice-President, Multicultural Banking at Scotiabank, says Canada receives approximately 250,000 new immigrants a year. She adds “While a very significant proportion of these are from South Asia, China and the Philippines, the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program addresses the needs of all new immigrants, wherever they come from.”

Establishing credit history in Canada is vital

Having worked in the US with KPMG for a year, Baskar says he knew it was important to get his credit history meter ticking as soon as possible. “With the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program, I was able to do so on day one.”

Sushma has also taken advantage of the small safety deposit box¹ offered free for a year as part of the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program. “Our focus group discussions show new immigrants place a high value on safety deposit boxes and getting a credit card,” says Pankaj Mehra, Director, India and South Asian Markets. Many immigrants with their inherent faith in precious metals would be happy to learn that Scotiabank is Canada’s gold bank.

“Through our subsidiary - ScotiaMocatta, we are one of the largest distributors of precious metals in the world - we cater to the

Scotiabank StartRight Program opens doors to a new life.

New immigrants coming to Canada tend to be educated, qualified, well-heeled and savvy.



SUSHMA & BASKAR RAO
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very substantial gold and jewellery markets in India,” says Mehra. “In the Canadian context, what this means is that Scotiabank clients can invest in gold by getting coins and gold bars, and invest in other precious metals at our branches across Canada”

Getting settled – one step at a time

Baskar landed a job as an internal auditor, a month into the job hunt. “I’d been prepared to take whatever came my way as it is not good to sit idle, so it feels great to land a job in my field.” With the financial pressure off, Sushma was better able to concentrate on her own job hunt. She had met consultants, applied for positions, and eventually landed a job with Research in Motion.

When their immigration papers came through, Baskar says his father and brother advised him to move to Canada with his wife rather than coming alone first, finding a job and then getting her to join him. “Enjoy both the hardships and the happiness together,” they said.

Things which can be overwhelming for a new immigrant were handled with such ease thanks to the friendly and helpful people at Scotiabank. Honestly, I don’t see us facing any

hardships,” says Baskar. “Scotiabank helped us skip a few steps by starting us off on the right note while we were still in India – I call it the Dummies’ Guide to Banking! The *Scotiabank StartRight* Program opened the doors for us to our new life.”

Feeling at home in Canada

The Raos enjoyed their first Canadian winter this year. “Shovelling was fun – I was an apprentice to my brother!” laughs Baskar who was living together with his brother then. Sushma thinks Spring is beautiful and is looking forward to enjoying the beauty of each season as it unfolds – though we feel this summer hasn’t been anything to talk about.

“We love Canada,” says Sushma.

“Bangalore is multicultural in the local sense, Canada is multicultural in the international context. We fit right in. We feel at home!”

Hiring people from within the community

Making new immigrants feel at home are *Scotia®* advisors like Jaswant Thind, who apply their own experiences as new immigrants in their interactions with the bank’s clients.

With several years of experience in sales and finance in Punjab, India, Thind landed a transition job the day after landing at Pearson International. “When I got my first cheque a week later, I didn’t have an account to deposit it in” he recalls. Today, a financial advisor at Scotiabank’s Queen Street branch in Brampton, Thind advises newcomers on issues vital to their settling in well in their new country.

“I see people who have been in Canada for three or four years and still don’t have a credit card. They come from cash societies where credit card use is still to catch on in a big way. I tell them to apply for a no-fee credit card² through the *Scotiabank StartRight* Program; and that without a credit history, they will find it next to impossible to get a mortgage, or a car loan.”

He says people often feel more comfortable discussing their finances in their own language and he is happy to speak to customers in Punjabi. “Coming from a similar background, I feel I understand their needs better.”

Aware of the value South Asians place on education, he also advises them to invest in RESPs to finance their children’s higher studies. Thind is active in the community and says people will often approach him at the gurudwara (Sikh temple of worship) or at malls and parks to ask for financial tips. “Coming from a similar background, I feel I understand their needs better,” says Thind.

“At Scotiabank, we realize the importance of building a workforce that truly reflects the communities we serve” says Rania Llewellyn. The Bank embraces diversity in all its facets, and its culture is based on community and teamwork. “We even participate in programs that provide career opportunities to new immigrants”, she adds.

Scotia advisors like Jaswant Thind can serve new immigrants in many different languages.



For information on a full range of newcomer friendly programs you can contact Scotiabank at 1-866-800-5159 or visit www.startright.scotiabank.com. Or, find a branch that can serve in your home language at www.scotiabank.com/branchlocator

An RCMP sergeant wounded in an Aug. 15 suicide attack in Afghanistan has been moved to a German hospital, where he remains in stable condition. Officials say Sgt. Brian Kelly, who had surgery for shrapnel wounds to his legs, will receive further treatment before he returns home to Canada. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Army boosts web presence

Call it Canadian Forces 2.0. First there were posters beckoning "Join Us," then television ads showing soldiers manning fighter jets and rescue ships. Now, how the military relays its message is changing ranks again — embracing social media as its newest communication tool.

The arsenal of online offerings includes official pages on Facebook, podcasts accessible by iTunes, photos and videos on Flickr and YouTube, and several Twitter accounts.

Just like soldiers and camouflage, the burgeoning tech-savvy approach naturally mobilizes youthful reception.

"If it helps us reach an audience that, say, doesn't watch (CBC's) 'The National' or doesn't read the *Globe and Mail*, then I

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think we're doing a better job of communicating," said Capt. Andrew Hennessy, who mans a brand-new Facebook page and Twitter feed for Ontario's Canadian Forces Base Petawawa.

"Which is ultimately the goal of all this."

As the 27-year-old public relations officer for the Ontario base, Hennessy began building its online presence after pondering the popularity of social media and realizing the wide-



The Canadian military is embracing social media as its newest communication tool, using social media platforms like Facebook and Twitter, above, to generate interest.

spread reach it could have. He now tweets updates and posts interesting links

and news releases to the Facebook site.

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News in brief

TAXES A third Conservative MP is distancing himself and Ottawa from a controversial tax harmonization plan that Finance Minister Jim Flaherty has enthusiastically promoted as key to economic growth.

Responding to an email from a Tory supporter who opposes tax harmonization, British Columbia MP James Lunney laid the blame for the single sales tax proposal at the province's feet.

HEALTH A Halifax brain surgeon has removed a brain tumour with the use of a virtual reality-based simulator, a medical advance considered to be a world first. A neurosurgical team took pictures of a pa-

tient's brain using an MRI at the Queen Elizabeth II Health Sciences Centre. Then neurosurgeons mapped out the tumour and their surgical approach using a virtual reality simulator. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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Secrecy dispute has Charkaoui federal terror case in jeopardy

EVIDENCE The federal case against a Montreal man accused of terrorist ties could be on the verge of collapse due to a dispute over secrecy.

The government says it has withdrawn evidence against Adil Charkaoui because disclosing related information to him would endanger national security. The material was apparently gathered through secret interceptions, informants and foreign sources, which the government is leery of exposing.

The government acknowledges that the remaining evidence doesn't "meet their burden of

Suspect

- Charkaoui, 36, a landed immigrant from Morocco, was arrested in Montreal in 2003 as an alleged al-Qaida sleeper agent. The married French teacher denies any involvement in terrorism.

proof" to support the national security certificate used to deport Charkaoui. The government continues to argue, however, that Charkaoui should not be allowed to stay in Canada, and it wants the Federal Court of Appeal to rule on the disclosure issues.

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Canada training more of its doctors

MEDICINE Canada is becoming more self-sufficient when it comes to its supply of doctors, a new report suggests.

Foreign-trained physicians practising in Canada make up a smaller proportion of the country's doctors than they used to, says the report from the Canadian Institute for Health Information.

The number of internationally educated doctors grew between 1972 and the late 1980s, reaching a plateau of 13,500 that has held ever since.

Compared to the total physician workforce, however, there has been a decline, the report says: from a peak of 33.1 per cent in 1976 to 22.4 per cent in 2007.

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Former hockey coach Ernie (Punch) McLean, 77, is missing in a remote region of British Columbia and friends say they're very concerned. Police say he had been surveying property near Dease Lake, about 250 kilometres south of the Yukon border. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

TV contestant charged in ex-model's killing



Ryan Jenkins: On run?

Where is Ryan Jenkins? California prosecutors have charged the former reality TV contestant with the murder of his ex-wife.

And Canadian authorities are searching for him after signs he may have illegally slipped across the border and disappeared.

U.S. authorities said one count of murder was filed against Jenkins on Thursday in the death of former model Jasmine Fiore, 28.

Her nude body was found stuffed in a suitcase in a trash bin in California last weekend.

Police had called the 32-

year-old Jenkins, a Calgary native who was briefly married to Fiore, a "person of interest" in the case.

Federal Public Safety Minister Peter Van Loan said: "Police forces are on the lookout with the potential that he might be in this country."

Jenkins was a contestant on the VH1 reality TV show *Megan Wants A Millionaire* before marrying Fiore.

Her death followed by his disappearance has sparked a media frenzy south of the border.

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Bill the storm packs a punch

WEATHER Hurricane Bill won't be giving up so easily.

Parts of Atlantic Canada can expect heavy rain and hurricane-force winds topping 120 kilometres per hour by late Sunday as Bill transforms into a still-powerful tropical storm, the Canadian Hurricane Centre says. According to the latest forecasts, Bill will likely lose its status as a hurricane Sunday morning as its eye tracks south of Yarmouth, N.S.

But it will bring severe weather to the region later in the day.

"We are expecting that when it arrives, it will still be carrying hurricane-force winds just because it's so strong right now, and it's going to take a while for those winds to drop," said Peter Bowyer, the centre's program supervisor.

"Our water temperatures out there are not really cool enough to bring those winds down as quickly as we would like."

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News in brief

SEA ANIMALS Jumbo squid have been washing up on a beach in British Columbia's Queen Charlotte Islands — at least the second time the sea animals have been found dead on the province's shores in recent weeks.

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A suspected car bomb exploded at a security checkpoint in Rawalpindi, Pakistan, late Thursday, wounding seven people. Pakistan is battling Islamist militants blamed for scores of bloody bombings over the last two years. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

World



Soldier found in Black Hawk crash

The U.S. Army has found the fourth soldier who was aboard a helicopter that crashed on Colorado's second-highest mountain, but officials didn't say if he is alive or injured. Investigators, left, said two other soldiers were killed and a third was injured when the Special Operations Black Hawk crashed Wednesday near the summit of Mount Massive.

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Afghans vote despite threat

Violence kills 26, but Canadian general says Taliban failed to disrupt election

In the end, it did not rain rockets — seven hit Kandahar city but the provincial capital is so used to war that it's not considered a major attack.

And there's been no report of anyone losing a finger to the Taliban, who threatened to dismember anyone bearing the "election stain."

Yet voters in Kandahar province appeared wary of casting ballots in nationwide elections Thursday following weeks of Taliban intimidation.

There were sporadic attacks across the country. Officials said 26 Afghans were killed in 15 provinces. The instability dampened voter turnout but authorities said the election was not derailed.

Toryalai Ghaznavi, spokesman for the Independent Election Commission in Kandahar, had worried earlier in the day that voter turnout would be lower than expected. He said voting by women, in particular, was low in less secure districts like the Zhari, Panjwaii and Maywand districts of the province.

But as the day wore on, Ghaznavi estimated 60 per cent of the registered voters in Kandahar province went to the polls, which stayed open late where necessary.

"Things are going very well," he said.

"This morning there were a few incidents but people don't care about those incidents. They're



An Afghan woman shows the dye on her finger after casting her ballot at a polling station in a school in Kabul Thursday.

coming to vote."

Despite Taliban threats to cut off the fingers of anyone marked with voters' ink — a measure meant to ensure each voter got just one vote — several Afghans emerged from polling centres proudly displaying the purple stain on their fingers.

Brig-Gen Jonathan Vance, the commander of Canada's Task Force Kandahar, said election day was an "utter failure" for the insurgents.

"As anticipated, the insurgency did attempt to disrupt the election. They were unsuccessful across the board," he said after monitoring security activity all day with Afghan forces and U.S. troop commanders.

Agha Jan, 40, said he was the only person in his fami-

Canadians in two-hour firefight

• Canadian troops at a base in the Zhari district in Kandahar were attacked by upwards of 50 insurgents. Brig-Gen

Jonathan Vance said the Canadians repelled the attack and there were no Canadian casualties in the two-hour firefight.

ly to vote, although all of his family members registered.

"We thought if it's safe, we all will vote; if not, only I will vote," he said. "It's risky, but I'm an old man. It's no problem if I die."

In Canada, Prime Minister Stephen Harper said it's "remarkable" that the election took place despite decades of strife and the absence of a democratic history in Afghanistan.

There were seven rocket attacks on Kandahar.

One person was killed and a child injured in one rocket attack, and a teenage boy was killed in a mortar attack. Insurgents fired a

rocket at a polling centre in a school but no one was injured.

Voter turnout in the south is key to President Hamid Karzai, an ethnic Pashtun whose family hails from Kandahar province.

While low voter turnout is unlikely to see the incumbent president defeated, it could mean a presidential run-off in October if he fails to capture 50 per cent plus one of the vote in this first round.

Preliminary results from the presidential vote are expected on Saturday. Final results aren't expected for a few weeks.

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Consumers devouring amped-up foods

NUTRITION From heart-friendly margarines to sugary cereals that strengthen bones, once-demonized foods are being spiked with nutrients to give them a healthier glow — and consumers are biting, even on some that are little more than dressed-up junk food.

A report released Thursday finds that even in a weak U.S. economy, people will pay a premium for products seen as preventing a health problem or providing a good alternative to sodas and empty-calorie snacks.

The report is from research firm Pricewaterhouse Coopers.

These products include winners and sinners: juices that supply kids with needed calcium, but also candy disguised as granola bars with just a smidgeon of much-ballyhooed nutrients.

The industry calls these products "nutraceuticals" or "functional foods." Critics say they could lead people to consume too much of certain nutrients, plus too many calories and fats.

New York University food scientist Marion Nestle calls them "calorie distractors."

"Functional foods are about marketing, not

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Sales of so-called functional foods in the U.S. every year.

health," she said.

"They delude people into thinking that these things are healthy," and they often eat more than is wise, she said.

Other nutrition experts worry about too much of a good thing. The studies are far from definitive, but some suggest that too much of vitamins A, C, E and folic acid can be risky for some people.

Americans have a big appetite for these products.

Functional foods account for more than \$27 billion in sales a year — about five per cent of the U.S. food market, the Pricewaterhouse report says.

Fibre, for digestive health, has been a big draw. In 2007, General Mills expanded its Fiber One brand into bars with appealing flavours such as Oat&Caramel and Chocolate Mocha. Sales exceeded \$100 million in the first year. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

News in brief

SURVIVOR The American Civil Liberties Union on Thursday said it was appalled that former Survivor winner Richard Hatch was returned to prison for granting two unauthorized TV interviews. Hatch had been serving out the end of his tax evasion prison term on home confinement, but was jailed Tuesday after giving several in-

terviews. "It's appalling to think that he has been sent to jail merely for speaking to the media," said Steven Brown of the ACLU's Rhode Island chapter. Hatch was convicted in 2006 of failing to pay taxes on the \$1 million US he was awarded for winning the first season of the reality show.

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Five convicted in fatal nightclub fire

Judges in Argentina convicted a concert promoter, three city officials and a band manager in a 2004 fire that killed 194 people at a nightclub. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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Iran yields on nukes

Iran has lifted a yearlong ban and allowed UN inspectors to visit a nearly completed nuclear reactor as well as granting greater monitoring rights at another atomic site, diplomats said Thursday.

International Atomic Energy Agency inspectors visited the nearly finished Arak heavy water reactor

IAEA report on Natanz site

A report issued in June by the International Atomic Energy Agency said nearly 5,000 centrifuges were now enriching at Natanz — about 1,000 more than at the time of the last agency report, issued in February — with more than 2,000 others ready to start enriching.

last week, the diplomats told The Associated Press. Separately, they said Iran agreed last week to IAEA

requests to expand its monitoring of the Natanz uranium enrichment site, which produces material for nuclear fuel that can be further enriched to provide fissile material for warheads.

Iran's stonewalling had raised agency concerns that its experts might not be able to make sure that some of the enriched material produced at Natanz is not diverted for potential weapons use.

Since its clandestine enrichment efforts were revealed more than six years ago, Iran has steadily increased activities at its cavernous underground facility at Natanz, a city about 500 kilometres south of Tehran, shunning off three sets of UN Security Council sanctions and rejecting talks meant to entice it to mothball the activity.

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Libya Revolutionary road



A Libyan woman waves Libyan flags at the Green square in Tripoli, Libya, Thursday before one of the celebrations to mark the 40 anniversary of the Libyan revolution.

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Eglinton Crosstown Light Rail Transit (LRT)

Preliminary Planning Notice of Public Open House Martin Grove Road to Pearson International Airport

Public Consultation

We are holding an Open House where you can learn more about this transit project, ask questions, and share your comments. The Open House will focus on the preferred route of the Light Rail Transit (LRT) from Martin Grove Road to Pearson International Airport. Plans for stop locations and potential construction methods will also be displayed.

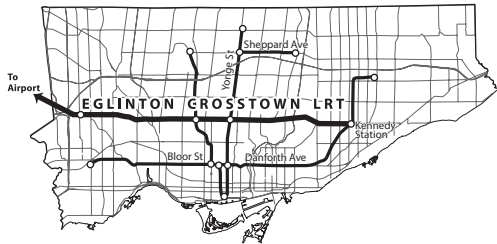
Date: Wednesday, September 2, 2009

Time: 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm

Location: Etobicoke Olympium (Olympic Lounge, 2nd Floor)
590 Rathburn Road (just west of Renforth Avenue)

Background

The Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) and the City of Toronto are conducting preliminary planning for a new Light Rail Transit (LRT) route along Eglinton Avenue from Kennedy Subway Station in the east to Pearson International Airport in the west. The LRT will link to the Yonge Subway at Eglinton Station, the Spadina Subway at Eglinton West Station and the Bloor-Danforth Subway at Kennedy Station. As part of the Transit City light rail network, important connections will be provided to the proposed Don Mills LRT, Jane LRT and Scarborough-Malvern LRT.



The Eglinton Crosstown would provide modern, accessible and comfortable light rail transit service. Within the central section between Brentcliffe Road (just west of Leslie Street) to Keele Street, the LRT would operate underground as the width of Eglinton Avenue in this area is too narrow to accommodate LRT. For the remainder of the route, the LRT would operate in surface transit lanes in the centre of the street.

During June and July 2009, Open Houses were held to present plans for stops and stations for the section of the LRT line between Kennedy Station and Martin Grove Road. Responses to questions and comments submitted during these consultations will be posted in the Frequently Asked Questions and Answers section on the project website, toronto.ca/transitcity.

A study was conducted to evaluate route options for the extension from Martin Grove Road to Terminal 1 at Pearson International Airport. At the September 2nd, 2009 Open House, TTC and the City will present the evaluation of the alternate route options and identify the preferred route.

Staff will be available to listen to any comments or answer questions about the project.

The preliminary planning for the Eglinton Crosstown LRT will lead to a Transit Project Assessment under the Environmental Assessment Act.

We would like to hear from you:
Public consultation is an important part of this study. If you would like to provide comments or obtain more information, please contact:

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Information will be collected in accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. With the exception of personal information, all comments will become part of the public record.

Cancer-stricken Sen. Edward Kennedy has asked Massachusetts leaders to change state law to allow a speedy replacement of him. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Going home to die

Scotland frees terminally ill Lockerbie bomber

Scotland has freed the terminally ill Lockerbie bomber on compassionate grounds, letting him go home to Libya to die.

The Scots rejected U.S. pleas to show no mercy to the man responsible for the 1988 attack that killed 270 people.

Abdel Baset al-Megrahi flew out of Glasgow on a Libyan Airbus.

Al-Megrahi, who had served only eight years of his life sentence, was recently given only months to live because of advanced prostate cancer.

He "now faces a sentence imposed by a higher power," said Scottish Justice Secretary Kenny MacAskill.

Pan Am Flight 103 exploded over Scotland and crashed into the town of Lockerbie.

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Lockerbie bomber Abdel Baset al-Megrahi leaves a police van at Glasgow airport, bound for Tripoli.

News in brief

TERRORISM The CIA hired private contractors at Blackwater USA in 2004 as part of a secret program to kill top-level members of al-Qaida, a person familiar with the program says.

Reports said Blackwater executives helped with planning, training and surveillance for the program. Blackwater, a U.S. company, has come under criticism for its alleged role in a 2007 shooting in Baghdad that left 17 Iraqi civilians dead.

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Witnesses say 40 were killed in Somalia after soldiers moved into a town controlled by insurgent group al-Shabab and fighting broke out. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

world **21****13,000 kids sick in China**

Factory officials arrested after children poisoned

China detained two factory officials after 1,300 children were poisoned by pollution from a manganese processing plant, state media said Thursday, days after emissions from a lead smelter in another province sickened hundreds.

Both cases have sparked unrest and come amid growing anger in China over public safety scandals in which children have been the main victims.

The latest incident involves the Wugang Manganese Smelting Plant in Wenping township, central Hunan province. It opened in May 2008 without the approval of the local environmental protection bureau, within 500 metres of a primary school, a middle school and a kindergarten.

Fears of poisoning began to spread among villagers in



In this photo taken Wednesday, village children affected by lead poisoning receive medical treatment at a hospital in Fengxiang county, west of Xi'an, China.

early July when many children became susceptible to colds and suffered fevers

and other ailments, the official Xinhua News Agency said. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

News in brief

MOSCOW Russian authorities questioned crew members from the Arctic Sea cargo ship after the seamen and eight alleged pirates ship were returned to Moscow Thursday,

adding new details to the mystery of the ship's month-long odyssey. Three heavy-lift air force jets, reportedly carrying 11 crew members, the alleged hijackers and other investiga-

tors, arrived at a Moscow military base after flying from Cape Verde, the West African island nation where a Russian frigate stopped the ship four days ago. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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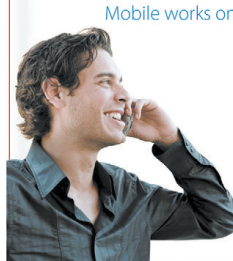
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School **Record U.K. scores**



Layla Hardin, left, celebrates her three A grades at A-level with her friend Jessica Bevan who got two A's and a B at Hayesfield Girls School Thursday in Bath, U.K. Results for more than 310,000 students across England, Wales and Northern Ireland showed that a quarter of A-levels were graded an A as students across the U.K. celebrated another year of record results

Debate shows deep distrust

Throughout this summer's emotional debate on the Obama administration's health-care reform plans, one reality about Americans has once again become crystal clear — they have a visceral distrust of big government.

U.S. President Barack Obama knows it, and it likely played into his decision to host a conservative talk-radio host at the White House Thursday to take questions from a wary public.

"You know, passing a big bill like this is always messy," he told one caller.

"FDR was called a socialist when he passed Social Security. JFK and Lyndon Johnson — they were both accused of a government takeover of health care when they passed Medicare. This is the process that we go through, because understandably the American

people have a long tradition of being suspicious of government until the government actually does something that helps them."

The distrust has been an integral ingredient of the country's DNA for hundreds of years, since the American Revolution and the writing of the Constitution.

Some wonder why such a primal suspicion of government persists, not just amid fringe militia groups, but also everyday Americans who enjoy the benefits of Uncle Sam's involvement in other aspects of their lives.

"It's a very deep part of the romantic vision that symbolizes America," says Richard Hayes, a philosophy professor at the University of New Mexico. "There's a strong sentiment about going it alone ... it exists throughout the country but especially in the West."

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Elect a unifying force



Bernd Christmas
Guest Columnist

When Aboriginal Canadians gather next month to elect a new leader of the Congress of Aboriginal Peoples, an organization founded to represent off-reserve Aboriginal Peoples, they will not be just answering the question of who leads the congress, but perhaps who actually represents Aboriginal Peoples in Canada.

During the CAP's 38-year history it has battled for that right with the better known — and richer — Assembly of First Nations (the AFN received \$27 million in grants from the federal government alone in 2008, compared to \$5.5 million for CAP), which says it represents all First Nations, though its leadership is elected only by First Nations band chiefs, whose governments receive \$10

billion in funding from Indian Affairs — a source of tension for First Nations people living off reserve who can't access those funds or that level of support.

According to Department of Indian and Northern Affairs Canada population projections, in 2009, there are 482,600 on-reserve Status Indians and 350,000 off reserve, though Statistics Canada says only 40 per cent of First Nations people live on reserves.

So at stake in these elections is this: will a new CAP leader work with the newly elected AFN National Chief, Shawn Atleo, on behalf

of all aboriginals, rather than against each other as their two predecessors did. How bad was it? The AFN's former national chief Phil Fontaine declared in 2007 about CAP: "It is deeply insulting when the government supports a puppet organization, of questionable representation, with a straw man for a leader, who slams First Nations leadership." In 2008, CAP's former national chief Patrick Brazeau responded: "The AFN national chief said he represents all First Nations people. Well, I'm a First Nations person and I did not give him that right to represent me. As a matter of fact, he living off-reserve, means I represent him."

Let's add a few more national organizations into the mix: the Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami, the Metis Nation and the Native Women's Association. Collectively, the five organizations represent

all Indigenous Peoples. Sometimes they work together, but for the most part they don't.

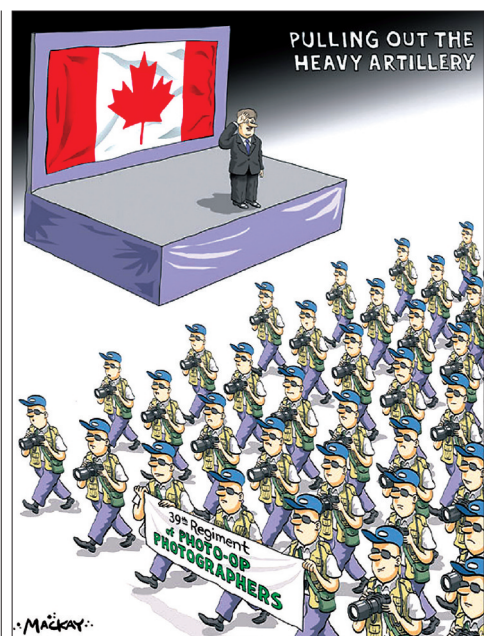
Clearly all Indigenous Peoples are not one homogenous body, and are all very distinctive.

But surely no one can argue that collectively they are on the same page as a result of the poor treatment of Indigenous Peoples. All are fighting for recognition and implementation of rights, within the law.

The CAP election may be the first step for an organization to take the high road and elect a leader that is willing to go the extra mile. All Indigenous Peoples are looking for leaders that can bring them a better life. Education, health care, employment, justice, thriving economies and equality are issues that need attention. Will it ever be possible to form one political body to represent all?

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AFN National Chief
Shawn Atleo



Worth mentioning

Restaurant implements PDA-free dining night

Willing to surrender your PDA for an hour or two? You'd be surprised at how much you could get done.

Faye Naruke and Jennifer Proctor caught up on the past five years of their friendship. Barry and Vicki Flink got reacquainted after 36 years of marriage.

As technology has become both an indispensable and irritating part of our lives, our cellphones and PDAs have practically become another family member. But for sleeping and showering, there would barely be time to recharge our communication devices so that we can keep texting, talking and tweeting.

Wednesday nights in At-

lanta's Buckhead neighbourhood offer a solution, Neo: Unplugged. The experience at Neo, the restaurant housed at The Mansion on Peachtree: A Rosewood Hotel and Residence, requires diners to relinquish their phones and PDAs to the maitre'd.

The premise is that the very thing that keeps us in constant connection is keeping us disconnected from what is really important: our friends, our significant others, our lives.

Beth Allen, director of sales and marketing for The Mansion, said the goal of the evening is a one-of-a-kind experience for guests.

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Views

Tucked amongst the chaos lies our Humber Bay

Urban Compass

April Lindgren

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This hasn't been the best of summers in the city. The rotten weather, the piles of garbage and the fraying economy are discouraging. Dire warnings about city finances emanate from city hall. Too many young men carry around guns used to kill other young men.

It all makes the discovery of a bit of urban paradise that much sweeter.

Okay, the stretch of western waterfront between the Sunnyside Pavilion and Mimico Creek isn't

perfect. The roar of traffic from the Gardiner intrudes. Condo developments crowd the public space as you travel west. But a lakeshore walk also reveals much that is good.

In front of Sunnyside Pavilion, the installation of a \$1-million impermeable cloth curtain shields the water from the rest of the lake, creating at least one short stretch of beach that is more often than not safe for swimming. The curtain enclosure and the installation of an ultra-violet-light water treatment unit mean the beach was closed for only one day between Aug. 1 and Aug. 12. The three other unenclosed beaches in the Sunnyside area were too polluted for use on six days. West of Sunnyside, it's even more evident why

the waterfront is an urban treasure. Dozens of different languages can be heard as families stroll along the boardwalk. Dog owners — they really do resemble their pets — struggle to keep the animals from chasing the geese. The elegant white bridge that spans the Humber River is the prettiest in the city. And then there's the Humber Bay Butterfly Habitat. A few years ago, it looked a bit scraggly as native plants struggled to assert their presence. These days, wildflowers, stunning in their understated delicacy, combine to create small explosions of colour.

There's a pond crisscrossed by bridges on the far side of the butterfly habitat. The loveliness belies its practicality — the

pond is really a series of settling ponds used to naturally treat the polluted water that runs into the lake from Mimico Creek.

From there you can walk out onto the treed peninsula that is Humber Bay Park East. Stop a moment at the Air India memorial. The wall with the victims' names is a haunting testimony to loss. But gazing out at the lake from the peninsula's point somehow cleanses the soul and offers reassurance — reassurance that in the midst of all that is wrong, the city still contains refuges that are utterly, transcendently right.

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Air Canada says globe-trotters wanting to visit Europe will have a new flight option starting next summer. The country's largest air carrier says it will offer direct flights between Montreal and Brussels, Belgium, starting in June 2010. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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Natural gas prices sink below \$3 mark, lowest in seven years

SUPPLY The price of natural gas fell to its lowest level in more than seven years Thursday as the latest U.S. government figures show a big increase in supplies. The September contract for natural gas dropped 16 cents to \$2.96 US per thousand cubic feet of the fuel, a drop of 5.4 per cent. The price was at its lowest level since August 2002.

The selloff came after the U.S. Energy Information Administration reported that the country's stockpile of

natural gas continues to grow, expanding last week by 52 billion cubic feet, or 19.1 per cent above the five-year average. U.S. storage depots have been bloated for months with large amounts of unused natural gas because major industrial customers have cut back severely on energy use during the recession.

Declining demand as well as new supplies of shale gas have led to a glut of the fuel across North America.

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Bombardier cancels jet order

Bombardier Inc. has lost one of the largest business jet orders in its history with its decision to cancel an order worth up to \$1.5 billion US following the insolvency of private European company Jet Republic.

The Montreal-based plane and train maker said the cancellation affects a firm order for 25 Learjet 60 XR aircraft, valued at \$340 million US, along with options to purchase 85 more. First delivery was sched-

Second cancellation

• The Jet Republic cancellation marks the second time in about a week that Bombardier has taken the dramatic step. It previously cancelled an or-

der for 15 remaining CRJ1000s from Italy's My Air, which also faced financial problems. The original order for 19 planes was worth \$750 million US.

Like all aircraft manufacturers, Bombardier is feeling the effects of a slowdown in orders caused by the recession and global financial crisis. It plans to

lay off 4,360 employees by Jan. 31, including 820 at the Wichita, Kan., plant where all Learjets are assembled.

Spokeswoman Danielle Boudreau wouldn't say if the order cancellation will

force the manufacturer to further reduce production rates of the mid-size business plane. A decision could be announced at its second-quarter results on Sept. 2.

Bombardier has said it expects business jet deliveries will fall 25 per cent this year. But analysts believe the worsening situation will cause deeper production declines, especially in the small cabin Learjets.

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AIG to repay bailout loan, report says

CRISIS Shares of American International Group skyrocketed Thursday after the company's new CEO was quoted by Bloomberg News as saying the company will repay its debts to the government.

New York-based AIG named Robert Benmosche its new CEO earlier this month. He had previously been CEO of MetLife Inc., the largest U.S. life insurer.

An AIG spokeswoman declined to comment on the report.

Shares of AIG jumped \$7.02, or 26.4 per cent, to \$33.66 in late morning trading.

When the credit crisis hit last year, the U.S. government rescued AIG from the brink of collapse with a loan bailout package worth up to \$182.5 billion.

The government now owns roughly 80 per cent of the huge insurer. AIG is shedding assets and cutting costs as it restructures.

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Spam Sales remain strong



Hormel Foods Corp. said Thursday its third-quarter profit rose 49 per cent as costs fell. Sales, however, were down as consumers limited spending on more expensive items like microwavable meals. Hormel continued to see strong sales in its Spam franchise, Hormel chili and Mexican products like Chi-Chi's.

Dundee expands equity financing

TRUST Dundee REIT, a Toronto-based real estate investment trust which owns and manages office and industrial properties in Canada, says it has expanded the size of a planned equity offering to nearly \$61.5 million from about \$50.5 million after strong interest from the investment community.

Dundee REIT said Thursday it will increase its issue to 3.35 million units at \$18.35 each, from 2.75 million units announced late Wednesday.

The financing is slated to close Sept. 9.

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Business in brief

MEXICO The National Statistics Institute says Mexico's economy contracted by 10.3 per cent in the second quarter and by 9.2 per cent for the first half of the year compared to same periods in 2008. The institute says gross domestic product declined by eight per cent in the first quarter.

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Q2 profit despite 55 per cent drop for TrueContext Corp.

TrueContext Corp., the operating subsidiary of TrueContext Mobile Solutions Corp., said Thursday it earned \$598,150 US in the second-quarter despite a 55 per cent drop in revenue. TrueContext Corp., which reports in U.S. dollars, said in a news release the results contrasted with a net loss of \$430,922 in the second quarter of 2008. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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TSX up in seesaw week

Investors more confident in economic recovery after China's Shanghai index up

Financials and base metals stocks helped take the Toronto stock market higher late Thursday morning as a strong showing on the main Chinese index made investors feel somewhat better about the prospect of an economic recovery.

The S&P/TSX composite index gained 48 points to 10,734.9 after the main Shanghai index ran up five

48 The S&P/TSX composite index gained 48 points to 10,734.9 at Thursday's close.

per cent, reversing Wednesday's four per cent retreat.

The showing in Toronto comes during a volatile week with huge intraday

swings in indexes as investors worry about the strength of an economic recovery and how much of a role the debt-laden U.S. consumer and Asian economies can play.

Before Thursday's advance, the Shanghai index was down more than 20 per cent from its early August peak, officially putting it into bear market territory. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Recession new chapter for Barnes&Noble

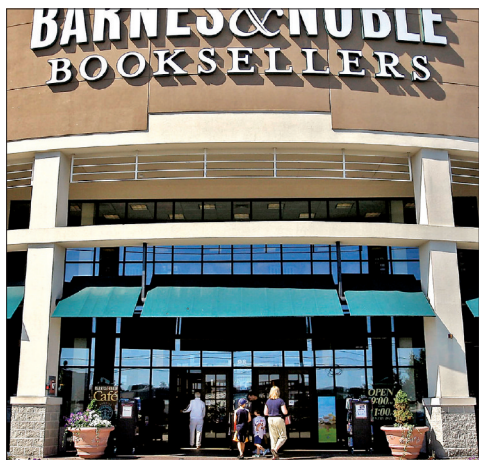
Barnes&Noble Inc., America's largest bookstore chain, said Thursday its second-quarter profit fell 27 per cent, but results beat analyst expectations as the company cut costs.

Profit for the three months ended Aug. 1 fell to \$12.3 million US, from \$16.8 million, or 27 cents per share last year.

Revenue fell five per cent to \$1.16 billion, matching analyst expectations. Sales in stores open at least one year fell 6.9 per cent during the quarter.

Barnes&Noble and other booksellers have faced falling sales for some time as shoppers turn to online and discount booksellers. The recession has compounded the problem, with consumers severely limiting spending on discretionary items like books.

CEO Steve Riggio said the decline in retail traffic con-



In this August 2008 file photo, customers enter a Barnes & Noble bookstore in Burlington, Mass. Barnes & Noble Inc., the nation's largest bookstore chain, on Thursday said its second-quarter profit fell 27 per cent.

tinues to hurt revenue but noted online traffic in-

creased from a year ago.

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News in brief

RETAIL H.J. Heinz says its fiscal first-quarter profit fell seven per cent partly on the stronger U.S. dollar, but the results

topped analysts' estimates. The maker of products like Heinz Ketchup and Ore-Ida fries earned \$212.6 million US,

compared with \$229 million a year earlier. The profit beat analysts expectations.

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The University of Memphis men's basketball program has been forced to forfeit the record 38 wins and Final Four appearance it recorded during the 2007-08 season because the school used an ineligible player, the NCAA has ruled. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

Sports



Plaxico pleads guilty

Former New York Giant Plaxico Burress, left, pleaded guilty to a weapons charge Thursday and agreed to a two-year prison term for accidentally shooting himself at a Manhattan nightclub. The ex-wide receiver pleaded guilty to one count of attempted criminal possession of a weapon, a lesser charge than he initially faced. Burress' sentencing is set for Sept. 22. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Teachers' Pension Plan increases stake in MLSE

LEAFS The Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan announced Thursday it is planning to boost its stake in the parent company of hockey's Toronto's Maple Leafs and basketball's Toronto Raptors to almost two thirds ownership. The investment wing of the big pension fund said it wants to buy an additional 7.7 per cent stake in Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment.

If approved by the professional sports leagues involved, the purchase would give the pension fund 66 per cent of the company.

Financial details were not disclosed. However, the purchase represents the entire remaining stake in MSLE held by CTVglobemedia.

"MLSE has proven itself an excellent investment for us over the years," said Erol

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• Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment owns the Maple Leafs, the Raptors, Toronto FC, the AHL's Toronto Marlies, the Air Canada Centre, BMO Field and Ricoh Coliseum, as well as broadcasting operations and retail and real estate developments.

Uzumeri, senior vice-president of Teachers' Private Capital, the pension fund's private investment department.

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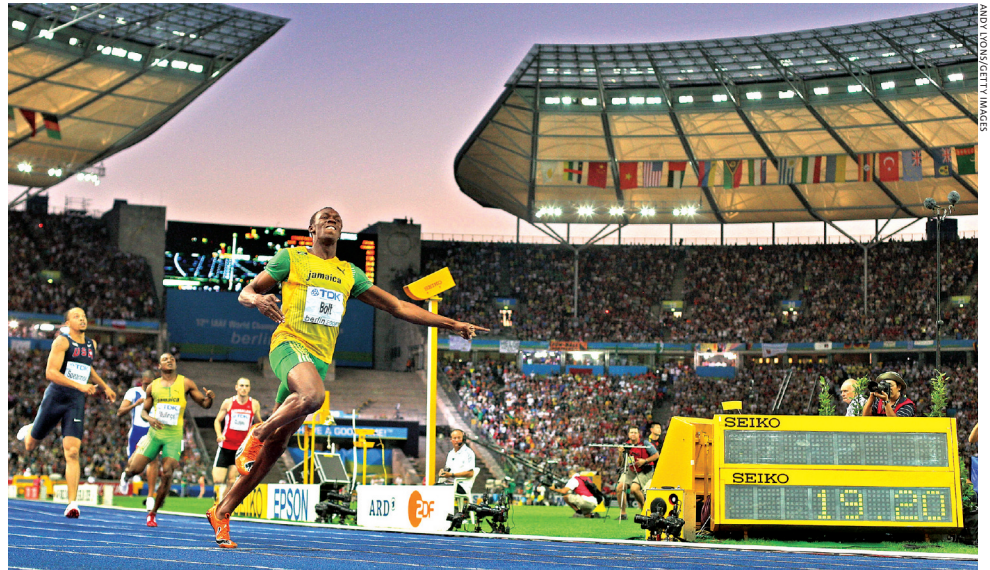
Father defends teen runner ordered to take gender test

SOUTH AFRICA A day after winning her first 800-metre world title amid a gender-test controversy, the father of South African teenager Caster Semenya dismissed speculation his daughter is not a woman.

The 18-year-old runner's father Jacob told the Sowetan newspaper: "She is my little girl. ... I raised her and I have never doubted her gender. She is a woman and I can repeat that a million times."

Semenya dominated her rivals to win the 800 on Wednesday despite revelations that surfaced earlier in the day that she was undergoing a gender test. Her dramatic improvement in the 800 and 1,500, muscular build and deep voice sparked speculation about her gender.

About three weeks ago, the IAAF asked the South African athletics federation to conduct the gender test. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**



Usain Bolt of Jamaica crosses the line to win the gold medal in the men's 200-metre final Thursday at the 12th IAAF World Athletics Championships at the Olympic Stadium in Berlin. Bolt set a new world record of 19.19 seconds.

Bolt sets another record

Jamaican breaks his 200m mark days after setting new 100m standard

Usain Bolt startled the world again.

The Jamaican sprinting great captured the 200-metre gold medal in 19.19 seconds Thursday, yet another world record.

His time in the 200 slashed 0.11 seconds off the mark he set last year at the Beijing Olympics and came four days after he broke his 100 record by the same margin.

"I am on my way to being a legend," said Bolt, who gritted his teeth and

"If Queen Elizabeth knighted me and I would get the title Sir Usain Bolt, that would be very nice."

Usain Bolt

pointed to the clock as soon as his time flashed. No one among the near capacity crowd at the 70,000-seat Olympic Stadium disagreed.

"If Queen Elizabeth knighted me and I would get the title Sir Usain Bolt, that would be very nice," Bolt said.

Bolt is now five for five in major sprint events. He won the gold in the 100, 200 and sprint relay in Beijing's Bird Nest, each time with a world record. Now he is one race away from doing likewise in Berlin.

"I was running my heart out," Bolt said. "I

got my start right and that was the key."

Alonso Edward of Panama was second, a distant 0.62 seconds behind Bolt. Wallace Spearmon of the United States took bronze.

"Just coming out there, I'm just waiting for the lights to flash 'Game over,' 'cause I felt like I was in a video game," said Shawn Crawford, who finished fourth. "That guy was moving — fast."

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The Washington Nationals introduced Mike Rizzo as the team's new general manager at a press conference Thursday. He had been acting GM since March. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

IOC's questionable score

Golf's inclusion in Olympics nothing more than a cash grab

Field of Play

Scott Russell

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saw Alex Baumann, one of Canada's greatest Olympians, the other day in Dartmouth, N.S., at the World Sprint Canoe Championships. The legendary swimmer and I witnessed another Canadian Olympic icon, Adam van Koeverden, as he won a bronze medal in his kayak despite nursing a badly broken ankle. "Can you believe golf's back in the Olympics?" I asked Baumann.

He shook his head in amazement and turned his attention to what was hap-

pening out on the surface of beautiful Lake Banook.

That old Sesame Street tune sung by the Cookie Monster came to mind. "One of these things is not like the other things. One of these things just doesn't belong."

He might as well have been singing about golf vis-à-vis the Olympic Games. Although it's a great game and a modern day obsession of those who can afford the

time and money to play it, golf is not — repeat not — Olympic.

Sure it was, at one time, played in Olympic competition and a Canadian named George Lyon won the gold medal in St. Louis back in 1904. But remember, there was also motor boat racing at the Olympics and polo and croquet for goodness sake. Like golf, these are not Olympic pursuits, but rather pastimes of the privileged few.

Golf's anticipated re-entry to the Olympic family in time for the 2016 Games — read: Chicago — reeks of another money grab. The IOC's return to the country club mentality is an attempt to capitalize on the star power of Tiger Woods and a few others.

Meanwhile, women ski jumpers can't get a sniff of gender equality or place their sport

in the Vancouver 2010 Olympics.

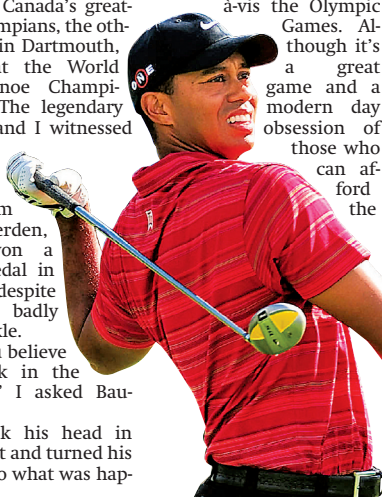
It's hypocritical to say the least.

When will the people who currently run the Olympics understand that the Games are the pinnacle of athletic achievement? To be Olympic champion is an exalted state. For the likes of Woods it would merely be a feather in his Nike festooned cap. For golfers it's the Masters or the British Open that matter most — not the Olympics.

One of the founders of the modern Games, Pierre de Coubertin, once uttered the following words. "All sports for all people," he declared. "In no way can sport be considered a luxury object."

It's doubtful he was talking about golf and the Olympics in the same breath.

Scott Russell is the host of CBC Sports Weekend seen Saturday afternoons. He has covered professional and amateur sports including nine Olympic games and numerous world championships.



Tiger Woods

VANOC unveils Whistler's Olympic village

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2010 GAMES In an age dominated by social networking sites, it's not surprising that one of the most common requests from Olympic athletes was an Internet connection.

And they got it, say the developers of the athlete's village in Whistler who held a media tour on Thursday.

The Olympic and Paralympic Village Whistler

includes duplexes, apartments and townhomes sprawled across 40 hectares in the Cheakamus Valley, about six kilometres south of Whistler.

During the Games, the tall, angular buildings with big windows will house about 2,850 Olympic and 1,000 Paralympic athletes, officials and coaches.

"This incredible village will be home to the greatest athletes in the world," said Acting Mayor Chris Quinlan. "We may very

VANCOUVER
2010 Games

well house the fastest bobsleigh, luge, skeleton or downhill skier here."

Athletes' rooms are 12-square-metres, and two athletes will stay in each room. There are currently no kitchens or major appliances in any of the residences — presently in "Olympic mode" — as athletes will dine together in a communal dining hall.

In addition to Internet access, Nejat Sarp, VANOC vice president of services and villages, said comfort, privacy and a place to socialize were the most common requests from athletes.

"In very simple terms, we're trying to create homes away from home for them," he said.

Construction of the site is about 95 per cent complete and the official handover to VANOC is expected to take place early November.

Coyotes decision will have far-reaching implications

HOCKEY The outcome of the NHL's battle in the desert over the ownership of the Phoenix Coyotes could send a cold shiver through other major professional sports leagues in North America.

The right to retain the final say over who can, and maybe more importantly, who cannot own a team is something the people running pro hockey football, basketball and baseball are loath to relinquish, according to lawyers and sports insiders.

"The sports leagues are sort of a self-selected, closed group," Eric Schaffer, a senior bankruptcy partner at the Pittsburgh law firm Reed Smith, said this week in an interview. "They decide who is going to be admitted to their league, they police themselves."

"They also want to make

sure they retain the ability to be the exclusive arbiters of who is going to be in their membership."

Canadian billionaire Jim Balsillie, co-CEO of BlackBerry maker Research In

Motion, has offered \$212.5 million US to buy the Coyotes but the deal is contingent on moving the team to Hamilton.

The NFL, NBA and Major League Baseball have all filed documents asking the court to respect the NHL's authority over ownership transfer and relocation.

"All the leagues are vitally interested in this," said one former longtime sports executive. "I think (baseball commissioner) Bud Selig would be apoplectic if he didn't have the right to reject an ownership bid, as would (NFL commissioner) Roger Goodell."

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Melnik fires back at Balsillie

HOCKEY Ottawa Senators owner Eugene Melnyk is firing back at BlackBerry billionaire Jim Balsillie.

Melnik has released a statement that reads like an open letter to Balsillie, addressing claims by the Research In Motion co-CEO that he lacks personal integrity and expressing dismay over Balsillie's attempts to buy the Phoenix Coyotes.

In recent court filings, Balsillie cited Melnyk and other NHL owners while saying that questions of character have never been used by the league when it

came to prospective buyers.

Melnik acknowledges in his statement that he's paid fines to the Ontario Securities Commission for "administrative oversights" but notes that it was a far cry from the sanctions that have been levied against Balsillie and his company Research In Motion.

He ends with a direct message to Balsillie: "I'm comfortable in my own skin, Jim. You should look around at the friends you are losing and the damage you are causing to yourself, the NHL and all Canadians."

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Theodore's two-month-old son dies

The Washington Capitals and Jose Theodore's sister-in-law say the NHL goaltender's two-month-old son has died. Veronique Cloutier, whose sister Stephanie is married to Theodore, made the announcement Thursday on her show on a Montreal-area radio station. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Serena into quarter-finals

Serena Williams had to work a little harder for her win at the Rogers Cup on Thursday — but not too hard.

The second-seeded American defeated Alona Bondarenko 6-1, 6-4 in the third round of the US\$2-million WTA event to advance to the quarter-finals.

At first, it looked like another easy day for Williams. After cruising through the first set, Williams appeared ready for the next round when Bondarenko found her swing in the second set.

But Williams took a breath, relaxed, and won three straight games to move on.

It was a minor hiccup in Williams' quest for a second Rogers Cup title that she chalked up to a momentary loss in composure.

"I was just trying to be perfect and then I just couldn't get my serve in and got frustrated," said Williams. "You know, I've been practising a lot on my serve, it just hasn't been well, so I think in any case it can be frustrating."

Earlier, Elena Dementieva also stumbled in the second set, but rallied against a persistent Shahr Peer, defeating the Israeli 6-1, 1-6, 6-4.

The fourth-seeded Russian will face Australia's



Serena Williams of the U.S. hammers a backhand to Alona Bondarenko of Ukraine in Rogers Cup tennis action on Thursday. Williams beat Bondarenko 6-1, 6-4.

Samantha Stosur in the quarter-finals. Stosur swept France's Virginie Razzano 6-3, 6-1 in third-round match.

Meanwhile, Aravane Rezai couldn't repeat the magic of her huge upset over top seed Dinar Safi-

na, falling 6-3, 6-4 to Russia's Alisa Kleybanova, while Czech Lucie Safarova beat China's Jie Zheng 7-6 (3), 6-4.

Williams, who will face Safarova in the quarter-finals, has rarely been challenged at the Rexall Cen-

tre. She easily beat Yaroslava Shvedova on Wednesday and may not face a seeded player until the semifinals.

But she knows she has to keep her cool if she's going to make it that far.

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At 20, Attakora starting to live up to potential

SOCCER Nana Attakora has come of age with Toronto FC.

The 20-year-old defender is already in his third season with the team. A charter member of the organization, the Orangeville native spent the inaugural campaign of 2007 with the reserve side before making his debut with the big club last summer, eventually getting into five games, three as a starter.

But after a slow start this season due to a hip injury suffered in March while playing for Canada's under-20 team, Attakora has become a regular on the back line for TFC. And, having started 10 of the past 14 games, the soft-spoken defender can feel his confidence growing with each outing.

"The more games you play, the more experience you get, the more you

learn," Attakora said yesterday after TFC practised in Oakville before heading to California for a game against Chivas USA.

"I just have more belief in myself."

Attakora, who last Saturday returned from a hamstring pull that cost him five games in all competitions, showed no rust in his first action in more than three weeks. With

veterans Marvell Wynne and Nick Garcia out with injuries, he defended well in the 2-0 win over D.C. United and set up O'Brian White's first MLS goal with his fourth assist, second only to Amado Guevara's five on the club.

Although Wynne and Garcia are expected back Saturday, captain Jim Brennan, a defender, is suspended for yellow-card accumulation, meaning Attakora will get another start as TFC goes on the road in search of crucial points in their drive for the MLS playoffs.

A veteran of more than two dozen international games with Canadian youth teams, Attakora, who played youth soccer in Brampton and went to Robert F. Hall Catholic Secondary School in Caledon, gives a lot of credit to TFC head coach Chris Cummins for his emergence

this season.

Cummins, who took over when John Carver quit six games into the season, coached Attakora in the now-defunct reserve league last season. And the defender says Cummins' experience working with young players in England has made him, and the other youngsters on the team, feel at ease. **TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE**

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Sports in brief

TENNIS Roger Federer didn't let a tricky wind blow him away. The world's No. 1 player struggled in blustery conditions Thursday against a player he has dominated throughout his career. A 3-6, 6-3, 6-4 victory over Spain's David Ferrer put him in the quarter-finals of the Cincinnati Masters.

NFL New Orleans Saints quarterback Drew Brees was ready to focus on football as he returned to practice for the first time since his mother's funeral. Brees, who last practiced Sunday, was back on the field as the Saints wrapped up their joint practice with the Texans on Thursday morning.

TENNIS Past champion Kim Clijsters has received her U.S. Open wild card. The 26-year-old Belgian recently came out of retirement and was promised an invitation to the American Grand Slam tournament, which begins Aug. 31. Clijsters won the 2005 U.S. Open and hasn't played in the event since.

GOLF Brad Bryant has matched a tournament record with a 10-under 62 in the first round of the Jeld-Wen Tradition at Crosswater Golf Club in central Oregon. Bryant had 11 birdies and one bogey for a three-shot lead Thursday in the fourth of five majors this year on the Champions Tour. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Chicago Blackhawks star forward Patrick Kane and his cousin James Kane have pleaded not guilty to misdemeanor charges that they beat up a cab driver over a fare. Patrick and James appeared before a Buffalo judge on Thursday, a day after a grand jury indicted them on misdemeanor assault and theft charges. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

Kanes plead not guilty

Man. United seeks to recover from shock loss

SOCCER Manchester United has lost the early edge it had over Liverpool in the Premier League title race and now has just three days to get its campaign back on track.

Any joy United fans felt after Liverpool, last season's runner-up, lost its opening match evaporated on Wednesday when the defending champion was beaten 1-0 at newly promoted Burnley.

And with injuries having decimated his defence, which last season was the joint best in the league, manager Sir Alex Ferguson has problems to overcome if his team is not to drop more points at Wigan on Saturday.

Liverpool has already bounced back into form after its opening loss to surprise leader Tottenham and is at Aston Villa on Monday, while potent-looking Arsenal hosts out-of-form Portsmouth and Chelsea is at Fulham.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Jays 'doing things the right way'

Commissioner Selig has faith in Beeston, wishes he'd stay with Blue Jays

The concern many Toronto Blue Jays fans are feeling about the plight of their team these days isn't shared by Bud Selig.

The baseball commissioner, speaking during an interview with The Canadian Press, feels the club is in good hands under interim CEO Paul Beeston and would like to see him take over the role on a long-term basis.

That isn't likely to happen, as Beeston has repeatedly said he's not interested in the job permanently and pointed out that one of his primary duties is to find his own replacement.

The Blue Jays have had endured some tumultuous times since Beeston filled the void left by Paul Godfrey's resignation last fall, slashing payroll, putting ace Roy Halladay on the block, and giving Alex Rios away for nothing on waivers under his watch.

Plenty of questions have been raised locally about where the team is headed, and Selig feels Beeston is the right man to set the course.

"I have a lot of faith in Paul Beeston, he was very successful there the first time around, he'll be successful again, I wish he'd stay there a long time, that's how much faith I have in him," Selig said Thursday from his office in Milwaukee. "Having said all that, I think they're doing things the right way."

"Look, they've traded some players, they've signed a fair amount of their draft choices, but they clearly are building for the future ... It may take some time, but do I believe they're on the right track? You bet I do."

Beeston appreciated the praise, but insisted he only took the job on a short-term basis.

"He's kind to say that, it

"He's kind to say that, it doesn't change my mind. What this place requires is someone who can commit for 5-to-10 years."

Paul Beeston, Blue Jays interim CEO

doesn't change my mind," said Beeston. "What this place requires is someone who can commit for 5-to-10 years. For the good of the team, we need someone who wants to be here for that period of time."

The search for a new leader is "moving along very well," said Beeston, adding that he might consider staying on in an advisory role, but that "needs a person in charge first."

That uncertainty is one reason others don't agree with Selig's optimistic outlook.

One source with knowledge of the situation said every move the Blue Jays have made since last fall points to the sale of the team within the next two to three years, and that the ownership at Rogers Com-

munications Inc., has had far less regard for the club since the death of Ted Rogers last December.

Market analysts continue to ask how committed the company is to a perennial money-loser — it lost in the neighbourhood of C\$16 million last season but will lose less this year, partly due to a payroll reduction of around US\$17 million — but Selig doesn't sense a reason to worry.

"I have no concerns (about ownership's commitment) at all," he said. "I think the moves they've made, frankly from a baseball perspective, have been smart, but they're very painful in the short run."

And there has been a lot of pain.

Aside from falling apart at the seams following a

strong start, trying to deal Halladay (something that could be on the table again this winter) and letting Rios walk to avoid paying the US\$60 million left on his contract, the Blue Jays also released closer B.J. Ryan and ate the US\$15 million left on his deal, dealt third baseman Scott Rolen to Cincinnati for personal reasons, and this week failed to sign three of their first four draft picks.

On that last front, Selig feels some sympathy for the Blue Jays, who went above Major League Baseball's recommended slot signing bonuses for the first time under GM J.P. Ricciardi but still couldn't get all their selections in the fold.

Many in the game believe the draft needs to be reworked and Selig says levelling the disparities between rich and poor teams in signing picks and procuring international talent will be a priority in talks with the players union when the current CBA expires in December 2011. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

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Blue Jays Sniderman climbs wall



Toronto right fielder Travis Snider leaps in an attempt to catch a home run ball as it clears the fence off the bat of Boston's J.D. Drew on Thursday night at the Rogers Centre. For a complete recap of the game between the Blue Jays and the Red Sox, visit metronews.ca/sports

Sports in brief

ROETHLISBERGER Steelers quarterback Ben Roethlisberger has injured his right ankle. Roethlisberger had an ice pack on the back of the ankle when he was carted off at the end of Thursday's practice on Pittsburgh's final day of training camp. Left tackle Max Starks couldn't handle a rush from linebacker James Harrison, the 2008 NFL Defensive Player of the Year.

BASEBALL The Cincinnati Reds have placed RHP Johnny Cueto on the 15-day disabled list Thursday because of inflammation in his right shoulder. RHP Micah Owings, on the disabled list since July 27 with a tight right shoulder, was activated. The Reds also sent 3B Scott Rolen to triple-A Louisville on a rehab assignment.

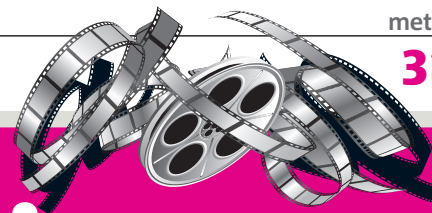
NHL Dany Heatley will break his silence Friday about his rocky relationship with the Ottawa Senators. He's been in hockey limbo since requesting a trade from Senators general manager Bryan Murray in the spring.

NHL Rugged winger Jeff Cowan has signed a one-year contract with the Buffalo Sabres, who continue to add muscle this off-season. Cowan is an eight-year NHL veteran but spent last season playing for Peoria of the AHL.

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What a Basterd

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There are parts of Quentin Tarantino's *Inglourious Basterds* — featuring Mélanie Laurent, seen here — that are brilliant, but there are just as many that fall flat. If that's Tarantino's way of playing with our expectations, maybe he's playing a bit rough.

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Director shows he can do just about anything in *Shorts*.

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Little glory in Basterds

Inglourious Basterds

Director: Quentin Tarantino

Stars: Brad Pitt, Eli Roth

Classification: 14A

Rating: ●●●●

NED EHRBAR
Metro World News

There are parts of *Inglourious Basterds* — Quentin Tarantino's intentionally audacious fusing of spaghetti westerns and Second World War epics — that are brilliant. But there are just as many parts surrounding them that fall flat.

Tarantino loves playing with audience expectations as to who lives and dies, and here it can get frustrating, with time and dialogue lavished on seemingly important characters who get snuffed out with

minimal fanfare.

It's interesting, then, that the most compelling person in the film, the villain Col. Landa (Christoph Waltz), is pure convention: A smiling, charming and deliciously evil Nazi. That the character pops off the screen so well is all thanks to the incredible performance Austrian-born Waltz delivers. He commands the audience's attention, and richly rewards them for it.

His first chance to shine is perhaps the film's brightest moment, an opening sequence set in a French farmhouse in which Landa interrogates a farmer who may or may not be hiding a Jewish family. As a standalone scene, it is perhaps Tarantino's best ever. Conversely, another standalone scene, set in a German basement tavern, literally splits



Brad Pitt's character leads a team of American Jews in a revenge mission against Nazis in *Inglourious Basterds*.

the film down the middle, killing any momentum built up and cancelling out much of the work the story had done. It's quite frustrating — and the new best example of Tarantino's chronic self-indulgence going horribly wrong.

Two main sticking points keep *Basterds* from succeeding as a whole. The first is the name. The film

is being sold on Brad Pitt's titular team of American Jews on a mission of brutal revenge against Nazis. Except they're supporting characters at best, and most of their action takes place off-screen. (Of the eight *Basterds*, half don't even have dialogue.)

The other main problem is the intertwining of plot threads — or lack thereof.

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The climax of the film brings the biggest names of the Third Reich to a movie premiere in Paris, and we've watched two differ-

ent groups of heroes plot to use the event to end the war.

Without giving too much away, the two plots don't so much converge or complicate each other as cancel each other out. It's monumentally unsatisfying. And if that's Tarantino's way of playing with our expectations, maybe he's playing a bit rough.

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Post Grad fails across board

Post Grad

Director: Vicky Jensen

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Metro World News

REVIEW It's tough pinpointing the most obnoxious part of *Post Grad*, a tale of 20-something self-absorption and misplaced priorities that has become more relevant than it deserves to be thanks to the recession. But the most offensive part, by far, is the wasted talent cast as the family of Alexis Bledel's titular college graduate.

The filmmakers somehow managed to hook Michael Keaton, Jane Lynch and Carol Burnett, all comedic forces in their own right, to play the "quirky" father, mother and grandmother of Ryden Malby (Bledel). And honestly, they all deserve much, much better.

They try their best to create some oddball charm during haphazardly raised and dropped subplots, but all they get in return is Ryden's exasperation and embarrassment.

As for Ryden herself, she tells us everything we need to know about her in a



Zach Gilford plays Alexis Bledel's BFF and love interest in *Post Grad*, directed by Vicky Jensen.

quickie video blog over the opening credits. She's had a plan since grade school, and everything is going according to that plan. Now that college is over, her next step is to land a job at "the top publishing company in Los Angeles."

While her career drama unfolds, we as the audience are supposed to agonize over Ryden not seeing the wonderful guy right in front of her, lovelorn BFF Adam (Zach Gilford). The only problem is Gilford has zero charisma on screen, and the character is a humourless, self-righteous twerp who stalks around casting judgment on everyone.

All of this might be

worth overlooking if the story followed any sort of logic.

But no, instead we watch Ryden get beat out for her dream job, apply for a series of demoralizing gigs, complain about her family, and mope.

Then, through no effort of her own, she suddenly gets her dream job after all. Not that it matters, since after a brief "excelling at work" montage, she gives it all up just as suddenly to follow her heart. And we're left feeling sorry for Keaton, Lynch and Burnett.

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'It's really, really dark'

Rob Zombie ditches campy humour in Halloween 2

CHRIS ALEXANDER
for Metro Canada

Like his cultural contemporary Quentin Tarantino, writer/director/rockstar Rob Zombie has fashioned a career and forged a legacy out of his undying love for classic trash cinema.

The platinum-selling shock rock guru (beloved for both his solo work and the long defunct band he fronted, White Zombie) and filmmaker had already amassed a cult following for his ultraviolent, cruel horror pictures like House of 1000 Corpses and The Devils Rejects.

But it was with his 2007 remake of John Carpenter's seminal 1978 indie slasher Halloween, that he really hit box office gold, and, in turn, was taken seriously as a major Hollywood player.

Movie feature

Though he swore he wouldn't, Zombie has now revisited that controversial genre redux territory with Halloween 2 — opening next Friday. The supposedly leaner, gorier follow-up is, Zombie insists, a radical departure from his semi-faithful original.

"The difference between this film and the first is the difference between House of 1000 Corpses and The Devils Rejects," says the director. "I didn't care what people's expectations were and I didn't care about the Halloween that had come before. I had complete creative control to do whatever I wanted."

Halloween 2 opens in theatres next Friday

Halloween 2 continues the sick saga of psychologically damaged Laurie Strode (Scout Taylor-Compton), who is still trying to evade the homicidal rampage of her deranged masked serial killer brother Michael Myers (Tyler Mane).

Outside of his two leads, the director has also re-assembled many of his other surviving cast members, including the legendary Malcom McDowell who reprises his turn as the wild eyed Dr. Loomis.

"I think that directors like to work with the same actors all the time, because the performances they give are that much more dynamic," Zombie says.

"In the first film, working with ... Malcom and

"I didn't care about the Halloween that had come before."

Director Rob Zombie

Scout, we had just met and it was all professional. This time however, we broke through that wall and the results of that relationship are on the screen."

And even though past Zombie efforts — much like the campy, hillbilly horror persona he's long employed — have had their tongues firmly wedged in their bloody cheeks, the filmmaker claims that Halloween 2 will be a decidedly grim, oppressive experience.

"There is absolutely no humour in this movie. It's really, really dark."



Tyler Mane stars as serial killer Michael Myers in Halloween 2.

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Work is reportedly underway on a Dirty Dancing remake. Lionsgate studio chiefs have asked Uptown Girls writer Julia Dahl to come up with a script for a new version of the 1987 classic dance movie, which starred Patrick Swayze and Jennifer Grey. **FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK**

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Never a dull moment with Tarantino

InFocus

Richard Crouse

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Quentin Tarantino doesn't care if you like him or his movies.

"My films are unabashedly about myself and you're either going to like them or go against them," he says, "but that's OK because I like me."

Tarantino's films — Pulp Fiction, Jackie Brown and Kill Bill Vol. 1 and 2, to name a few — sharply polarize people. For every person who gets all aquiver at the prospect of a new picture from the Reservoir Dogs director, there's another who thinks his movies are too long, too self-indulgent and too

derivative.

Despite those criticisms, fair or not, there can be no argument that of all the brand name directors working today Tarantino is the most audacious. His films are a singular vision and this weekend's Inglourious Basterds is no exception.

His films are unapologetically bloody, in-your-face talky and ripe with larger-than-life characters, and perhaps it's those qualities that rub certain people the wrong way.

He refuses to play it safe and take the Michael Bay road churning out Hasbro movies. He's told interviewers he would die to make his movies perfect, and I believe him, but I'm a fan.

Not all critics are. Writer Ryan Gilbey said Death Proof represented "a sort of embarrassment of riches, only without the riches," and more recently the Guardian called Inglourious Basterds "an armor-



Harvey Keitel in Reservoir Dogs, the film that heralded the arrival of Quentin Tarantino.

plated turkey." Everyone is entitled to his or her opinion, but I think the Tarantino hecklers miss the point.

Tarantino is a provocateur who excels when he doesn't play nice with the audience. Unlike the vast

majority of films at the local bijou, his films demand something from an audience; they demand to be noticed and argued about over coffee (or something stronger) afterward. Many films fade quickly from

memory, but, like them or not, Tarantino's don't.

When he's at his best—Reservoir Dogs, Pulp Fiction and Inglourious Basterds—the movies are transformative cinematic experiences, but even

"You're either going to like them or go against them."

Quentin Tarantino on his films

when he's not in top form—say, Death Proof—his work is, as critic Peter Bradshaw said, "more interesting than the successes of dullards and middleweights churning out Identikit films by the truckload."

Tarantino's films aren't for everyone, but it's undeniable that he takes movies seriously.

So seriously in fact, that the heroine in Inglourious Basterds is a cinema owner who literally uses film to bring down the Third Reich. I love that.

Say what you will, you can never accuse Tarantino of being boring.

Richard Crouse's Movie Show can be seen every Sunday at 6:30 p.m. on the E! Channel; mrcraus3@hotmail.com.

Kids' wishes come true

Shorts

Director: Robert Rodriguez
Stars: Jimmy Bennett, Jon Cryer
Classification: STC
Rating: ****

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

There's no debate about filmmaker Robert Rodriguez's extreme diversity. Whether its violent thrillers like Sin City or hyperkinetic juvenile triumphs like Spy Kids, the man has proven skills with imagination to boot.

And I'm not even talking about the fact that he writes, edits, scores and just about does everything short of making the crew's sandwiches on his movies.

Now, with Shorts, he's returned to testing the kid-dy market with a chronologically-challenged fable about a rainbow-coloured rock that allows those in its possession anything they wish for.

For a young outcast like Toe Thompson (Jimmy Bennett), that kind of opportunity opens a world without braces and an end to the bullying.

But when the rock falls into other hands, suddenly the neighbourhood



Filmmaker Robert Rodriguez returns to Spy Kids territory with Shorts, starring Jimmy Bennett and James Spader.

kids must save the world from a corporate megalomaniac (James Spader), bipedal crocodiles and a carelessly flung snotball that morphs into a huge, hideous monster.

In short, the lesson is "be careful what you wish for."

While Rodriguez's message is simple (it's for kids after all), the film's structure is far from it.

With the visual splash of a Tiny Toons cartoon, the

moral tone of a Dr. Seuss fable and its unadulterated aim at creating cinematic chaos as amusement, Rodriguez's latest adventure won't short-change the kids on fun.

However, their adult companions may find that Shorts' frantic, over-the-top pace may just short-circuit your synapses.

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Comedian 'carries' Woodstock

Martin dishes on role in Ang Lee's film on concert

DOROTHY ROBINSON
for Metro Canada



Movie feature

Demetri Martin knows how to do many things. He knows how to tell a joke (as seen on his Comedy Central show *Important Things with Demetri Martin*). He knows how to play a guitar (if you've ever seen his stand-up, you know that he punctuates his droll one-liners with a well-played guitar). And Martin is smart (he's a Yale grad).

Perhaps the one thing Martin doesn't really know to do is how to carry a film, which leads to the question: Why did famed director Ang Lee tap him to helm his new movie *Taking Woodstock*?

"It was all very unexpected," says the youthful Martin, who admits to not being a trained actor, while on a press junket in New

York City. "I didn't know that this project existed or that Ang knew anything about me or what I do."

As it turned out, it was a teenaged fan with a slight crush on the comedian who tipped off the Oscar-winning director.

"James (Schamus, Lee's longtime collaborator) introduced me to him, because his teenaged daughter liked him and she got him to watch clips on YouTube and thought he was very funny and cute," says Lee of Martin in slightly broken English. "I just believed the story would happen to him. And I liked the challenge, not necessarily of taking a comedian, but just of him, of him taking us through the party."

And as the history books prove, oh what a party it



Eugene Levy, left, and Demetri Martin star in Ang Lee's *Taking Woodstock*.

was. And it's up to Martin, as the meek Elliot Teichberg who just happens to volunteer his family's motel to be the home base for the three-day concert, to carry the viewer through the life-changing bash.

"Ang reminded me of that sometimes — 'You are

carrying this film,'" laughs Martin. "This 'carry' verb kept coming up. And I'm like, 'What's this carrying business?' I started to understand when we started the shoot because I worked every day. You're this constant figure."

In the end, does Martin

pull that "carry" verb off? During our interview, he seemed unsure, but he did say he got through it by "putting all of my faith in Ang."

"I kept thinking of the *Karate Kid* because he was like this sensei who was like, 'Do this with your

No drugs please

• Although in *Taking Woodstock*, Martin portrays a man enjoying his first LSD experience, in real life, Martin stays away from the stuff but not because Nancy Reagan told him to.

"I have all of these food allergies," he says. "Any moral issues aside, I've avoided most drugs because I'm so afraid I'll have an allergic reaction. It'll be like, 'I'm at some party and someone will be like, 'Hey man, try this.' And I'll be like, 'Um, I gotta go, I'm breaking out into hives.'"

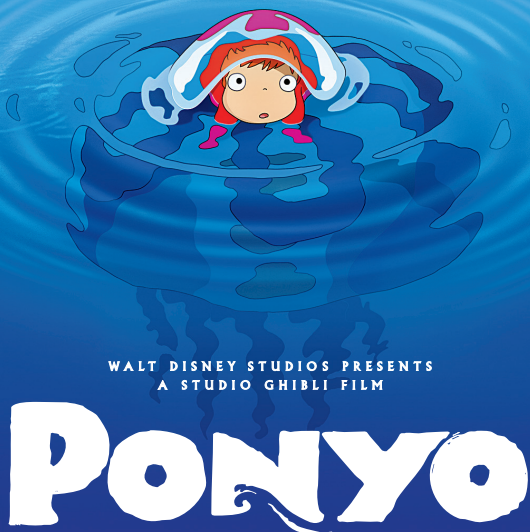
arms.' And you're like, 'Okay, so what does that do?'" Martin recounts. "I just tried to be a student this whole time and follow their lead and trust that they found someone to do what they wanted. I didn't come in saying, 'I figured out the character, and here's what I'm going to do, Ang.' It was more like, 'Okay, what do you want me to do? Walk faster? Okay!'"

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Brothers' Story poignant

The Boys: The Sherman Brothers' Story

Director: Gregory V. Sherman, Jeff Sherman

Classification: STC

Rating: ⓈⓈⓈⓈ

KEVIN COURRIER
for Metro Canada



REVIEW The Boys: The Sherman Brothers' Story is a touching, sometimes bittersweet, family portrait of two of America's most recognized songwriters: Richard and Robert Sherman.

Although they were a sibling partnership responsible for such pop hits as *Tall Paul* and *You're Sixteen*, they were most notably acclaimed as Walt Disney's "boys," the team who composed songs for a number of hit musicals for Disney Studios like *The Parent Trap*, *Mary Poppins* and *The Jungle Book*.

The fractious dynamic in song writing teams, like Gilbert and Sullivan and Lennon and McCartney, is a commonly acknowledged reality. But the theme has rarely been the explicit subject for exploration in a film. In *The Boys: The Sherman Brothers' Story*, the Sherman



Songwriters Richard Sherman, left, and Robert Sherman, right, are the subject of documentary *The Boys: The Sherman Brothers' Story*.

sons, directors Jeff and Greg Sherman, have thoughtfully uncovered their fathers' troubled relationship while simultaneously taking us deeper into their art.

They calmly illustrate how their fathers' most playfully cheerful songs like *Chim Chim Cher-ee* and *Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious* actually came out of painful circumstances.

Where Richard is portrayed as the energetic optimist, who's always eager to perform, his brother Robert is the moodier and introspective one. We come to understand some

of the reasons why that is so when it's revealed that Robert had served in World War Two, sustaining both physical and emotional scars.

The film makes clear that their conflicting temperaments were successfully channelled into their music — which then made it possible for them to work together.

In *The Boys: The Sherman Brothers' Story*, Jeff and Greg Sherman bring a generous and loving spirit to their subject without ever sweetening it. Which is why, whether or not you're a fan of their music, this gently probing story has a lasting poignancy.

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Zemeckis aboard *Yellow Submarine*

Disney has tapped director Robert Zemeckis to remake the Beatles' 1968 animated feature *Yellow Submarine*. Zemeckis will utilize the same 3-D performance-capture techniques that he employed in *The Polar Express* and *Beowulf*. **EW.COM**



Peter Capaldi, left, and James Gandolfini star in *In The Loop*.

Loop a scathing satire

In The Loop

Director: Armando Iannucci

Stars: Peter Capaldi, James Gandolfini

Classification: STC

Rating: ⓈⓈⓈⓈ

CHRIS ALEXANDER
for Metro Canada



If you swallow the kool-aid concept that all higher up politicians are mannered, serious-minded intellectuals whose paramount concerns are with the welfare of mankind, then director Armando Iannucci's scathing — and unrelent-

ingly hilarious — *In the Loop* may very well throw you for a loop. As portrayed here, they're almost sociopathic.

The film — a spin off of Iannucci's cult BBC TV series *The Thick of It* — stars Tom Hollander as a bumbling British politician whose clumsy media captured statements about an impending war in the Middle East bring him to the attention of the White House itself.

Seeing him as the perfect patsy for their various MO's, a gaggle of the most foolish, unpleasant Washington elite begin manipulating the situation to

grand effect, assaulting each other verbally while the fate of their respective nations hang in the balance.

Leading the charge of *In the Loop*'s more gruesome characters is Malcom Tucker (Peter Capaldi), a spin doctor for British parliament and truly one of the most foul-mouthed, reptilian screen scumbags this critic has ever seen. And he's rather brilliant, actually.

Fans of '90s family flick *My Girl* will be surprised by the appearance of a very grown up Anna Chlumsky, here playing a cute aide who's college pa-

per weighing the pros and cons of war literally sets the comedy of errors in motion.

Soprano's star James Gandolfini also has a meaty turn as strutting US General; his caustic, final reel battle of profane wits with Capaldi is both screamingly funny and nerve wracking and is without a doubt, the best scene in the flick.

In the Loop is ruthless in its quest to milk mad laughs. But as funny as it is, there's a bitter, cynical truth here that leaves you more than a bit shaken. In other words, it's a top notch political satire.

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Director might as well laugh

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FEATURE Despite the fact that it opens with a suicide attempt, Simon Ennis' debut feature has an inspirational title: *You Might as Well Live*.

And despite its status as probably the grottiest Canadian film comedy in recent memory — filled with moments that make the Trailer Park Boys look like a rotary club — it also has an inspirational theme.

Its hero, a small-town Ontario lifer named Robert Mutt (Josh Peace) desires only to prove that he's not a loser. But this is easier

"In comedy, total stupidity is a gold mine."

Simon Ennis

said than done, because Robert is a loser. Or rather, he's so oblivious and naïve as to make the possibility of winning out over life's obstacles seem painfully remote.

"In comedy, total stupidity is a gold mine," says Ennis, who co-wrote the film's script with Peace based on an idea they'd had prior to making their acclaimed short *The Canadian Shield*. "It's especially funny

when you put that sort of character in a situation that's beyond him."

Not only do the situations in *You Might as Well Live* test the modest limits of Robert's courage and intelligence, but they also rip the envelope of good taste wide open. Robert's redemption — which includes finding a job and girlfriend and clearing his name of bogus child pornography charges — involves every imaginable form of physical degradation.

(The bathhouse scene in *Eastern Promises* has nothing on Robert's full-frontal flight from an angry mob).

"It's not like we were sitting around trying to break



Simon Ennis, left, directs Michael Madsen in *You Might as Well Live*.

any taboos," laughs Ennis when confronted with a laundry list of his film's cheerful violations. "Josh and I were just sitting in the office trying to make each other laugh."

• *You Might as Well Live* opens in theatres next week.

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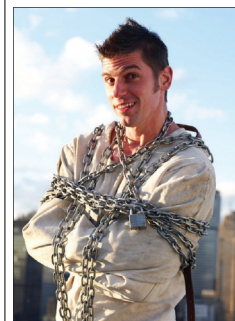
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Thu 2:15-5:7:45-10:20

G-Force in Disney Digital**3D** (STC) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:7-9:20**G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra**

(PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:20-10:10

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell**Hard.** (14A) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:15-

6:40-9:40

Harry Potter and the Half-**Blood Prince** (PG) Fri-Thu 1-

4:30-8

Inglourious Basterds (14A)

No Passes Fri-Thu 3:6:30-10

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-

3:30-6:50-9:50

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-

Thu 1:30-3:45-7:10-9:30

The Time Traveler's Wife

(PG) Fri-Sat 2-4:45-7:30-10:20 Sun-

Tue 2-4:45-7:30-10:15 Wed 4:45-

7:30-10:15 Thu 2-4:45-7:30-10:15

Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1

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10 Dundas St. East, 416-977-2642

Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-

Sun 11:20-1:20-3:20-5:20 Mon-Thu

1:20-3:20-5:20

Bandslam (PG) Special Engage-

ment Fri-Sun 11:05-1:35-4:30-7:10-

9:40 Mon-Thu 1:35-4:30-7:10-9:40

The Boys: The Sherman**Brothers' Story** (G) Special En-

gagement Fri-Sun 11:25-2:43-7:9-

9:45 Mon-Thu 2:43-7:9-9:45

Brüno (18A) Fri-Sun 11-13:10-

5:30-7:50-10 Mon-Thu 1:30-10:50-

7:50-10

The Final Destination (STC)

Special Engagement Thu 12:01

G-Force in Disney Digital**3D** (STC) Digital Fri-Sun 11:15-

1:25-4:10-6:25-9:10 Digital Mon-

Thu 1:25-4:10-6:25-9:10

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra

(PG) Fri-Sun 10:45-1:40-4:40-7:45-

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The Hangover (14A) Fri-Thu 9:25
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-4:40-8:20
Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:25-6:20
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:20-3-4-6:50-7:50-10:35
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:15-3:35-6:40-9:50
Metropolitan Opera: La Fille du Régiment (STC) Sat 12
Ponyo (G) Fri-Tue 1:25-4:05-6:45-9:10 Wed 1:35-4:05-6:45-9:10 Thu 1:25-4:05-6:45-9:10
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:45-4:15-7:45-10:20
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:25-3-7:05-9:40
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Sat 12:20-1-3-10:30-6:35-7:25-9:35-10:15 Sun 12:20-1-3-10:30-6:35-7:25-9:35-10:15 Thu 12:20-1-3-10:30-6:35-7:25-9:35-10:15

1651 Queen St. E., 416-699-5971
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:30-7:20-10:15
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:20-6:50
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 9:30
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:20-3-40-7-10:30
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:40-9:45
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-5:50-6:30-9:20
FOX THEATRE
 2236 Queen St. E., 416-691-7330
Away We Go (14A) Wed 1:30 Wed-Thu 7
Brüno (18A) Fri 9 Sun 9
The Girlfriend Experience (14A) Wed-Thu 9
The Hangover (14A) Sat 9 Mon 9
My Sister's Keeper (PG) Mon-Tue 7
Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (PG) Sat-Sun 2
Whatever Works (14A) Fri 7

Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:20-4-6:45
District 9 (14A) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating, No Passes Fri-Sun 1:30-2:15-4:15-5:15-7:8-15-9:45-11 Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating, No Passes Mon-Thu 1:30-2:15-4:15-5:15-7:8-15-9:45
Funny People (14A) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:15-4:20-7:25-10:30
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:20-9:15-10:15
The Hangover (14A) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 2:30-5-7:40-10:10 Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Sun 2:30-5-7:40 Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Mon-Thu 2:30-5-7:40-10:10
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 3:15-6:40-10
The Hurt Locker (14A) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:30-10:20
Post Grad (PG) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Thu

(PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-7-9:50
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:40-7:30-10:10
SILVERCITY FAIRVIEW
 1800 Sheppard Ave. E., 416-644-7746
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:30-6:45-9:30
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:40-7:30-10:30
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:50-7:10-9:40
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-4-7-10
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:30-7:40-10:15
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:6-30-10:10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-6:40-9:50
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:50-4:10-6:50-9:20
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:20-7:20-10:20
SCARBOROUGH
COLISEUM SCARBOROUGH
 300 Borough Dr., 416-290-5217
And I Love You So (Filipino) (STC) Fri-Thu 1:10-

WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8
 EGLINTON TOWN CENTRE
 1901 Eglinton Ave. E., 416-752-4494
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Sat 1:6-15 Sun 1 Mon-Thu 1-6:15
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-1:50-3:30-4:50-6:30-7:40-9:20-10:20
Funny People (14A) Fri-Thu 10:15
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 2:15-4:30-6:50-9:10
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 2:10-5-7:50-10:40
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:25-4:15-6:40-9:05
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:50-7:15-10:35
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:40-6:20-9:50 No Passes Fri-Thu 3:20-7-10:30
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-4:20-7:25-10:25
Kanthiswamy (Tamil) (STC) Fri-Thu 2-6:10-10
A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Sat 3:40-9 Sun 3:40 Mon-Thu 3:40-

No Passes Fri-Thu 12:10-2-3-30-6:20-7-9-40-10:25
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-3-6-9
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:10-6:45-9:15
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:3:15-6:10-8:45
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:35-10:10
KENNEDY COMMONS 20
 33 William Kitchen Rd., 416-335-5323
(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Sun 12:55-3:15-5:35-7:50-10:05 Mon-Thu 3:15-5:35-7:50-10:05
District 9 (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:30-12:15-1-2-3-3:45-4:30-5:30-6:30-7:15-8-9-10-10:45 Mon-Thu 2:45-3-40-4:15-5:15-6:15-7:45-8:45-9:45-10:35
Funny People (14A) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:20-7:25-10:40 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:20-10:25
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:30-7:30-10:30 Mon-Thu 2:30-3:30-5:25-6:35-8:30-9:30 Fri-Sun 11:30-12:30-2:30-3:30-5:25-6:35-8:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:30-10:30
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sun

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The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:05-6:25-9:05
WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8
WOODBINE CENTRE
 500 Rexdale Blvd., 416-213-1998
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-6:45
District 9 (14A) Fri-Thu 12:50-4-6:55-9:30
G-Force (STC) Fri-Thu 12:35-2:40-4:45
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:50-6:40-9:25
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 4:05-9:20
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:35-6:40-9:45
A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Thu 6:50-9
Post Grad (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-2:50-5-7-9:05
Shorts (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:45-5-7:05-9:10
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:4-15-7:10-9:40

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BEACH CINEMAS

Sat-Sun 4-7 Tue 9

NORTH YORK

SHEPPARD GRANDE
 4861 Yonge St., 416-590-9974
(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:20-10:05
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri 1:40-4:30-7:05-9:30 Sat 7:05-9:30 Sun-Thu 1:40-4:30-7:05-9:30
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-1:30-4:40-5:20-8-9
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:40
Metropolitan Opera: La Fille du Régiment (STC) Sat 12
Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:40-6:45-9:10
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3-5:10-7-9:50
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-1-3-30-4-20-6:30-7-9:20-10
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:10
EMPRESS WALK
 5095 Yonge St., 416-223-9550
Bandslam (PG) Dolby Stereo

1:40-4:10-7:10-9:30
Spread (STC) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 2:10-4:45-7:45-9:50 Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Mon-Thu 2:10-4:45-7:45-9:50
WWE: Summerslam (STC) Dolby Stereo Digital, Stadium Seating Sun
SILVERCITY YORKDALE 6
 3401 Dufferin St., 416-444-3456
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 No Passes Mon-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:15
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:45-9:30
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 12:35-3:30-6:40-9:40
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 3:6-50-10:30 No Passes Mon-Thu 2:15-6:30-10:10 No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-4:10-8
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:40-7-10-10:15
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-4:30-7:15-10
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:3-45-6:30-9:15
The Time Traveler's Wife

4:10-7:10-10:10
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 4-10:25
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:30-6:50-9:35
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:20-10
Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:50-6:45-9:45
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:35-3:45-6:55-10:05
Kanthiswamy (Tamil) (STC) Fri 7:10-10 Sat-Thu 12:30-3:40-7-10:20
A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Sat 1:30-4:20-7:30-10:15 Sun 1:30-4:20-10:15 Mon-Thu 1:30-4:20-7:30-10:15
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:05-3:55-7:05-9:55
Public Enemies (14A) Fri-Thu 12:45-7:15
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:50-3:25-6:40-9:40
Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG) Fri-Sat 2:30-6:10-9:50 Sun 2:30-6:10 Mon-Thu 2:30-6:10-9:50
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:4-30-7:25-10:30

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Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:10-6:45-9:30
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-3:45-7:20-9:45
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:15-4-7-10-9:40
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Wed 1:45-4:45-7:30-10:10 Thu 4:45-7:30-10:10 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:40-7:45
WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8
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 785 Milner Ave., 416-281-2226
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 9:45
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-4-7:15-10
G-Force (STC) Fri-Thu 12:35-2:45-4:55-7:25
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:45-6:40-9:30
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:45-7:50-10:30
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 12:15-3:20-6:30-9:50
Inglourious Basterds (14A)

11:40-12:25-2:55-3:45-6:15-7-9:30-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:55-3:45-6:10-6:55-9:25-10:15
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11-12-1:2-15:3-15:4-15:5-30-6:30-7:30-8:45-9:45-10:45 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 2-3-4-5-15-6:15-7:15-8:30-9:30-10:25
Kaminey (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 1:40-4:40-7:40-10:40 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:25-10:20
Love Aaj Kal (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-4-7-10 Mon-Thu 3:55-7-10
Ponyo (G) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 12:55-3:20-5:45-8:10-10:35 Mon-Thu 2-4-30-6:55-9:35
The Proposal (PG) Fri-Thu 7:50-10:20
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:11-45-12:30-1-30-2:15-3-4-4-45-5:35-6:25-7:15-8-9-9:50-10:35 Mon-Thu 2:15-3-4-4-45-5:30-6:30-7:15-8-9-9:45-10:30
Up (PG) Fri-Sun 12:35-2:55-5:25 Mon-Thu 2:55-5:25

WOODSIDE CINEMAS

1571 Sandhurst Circle, 416-299-3456
Kaminey (PG) Fri-Sun 3:30-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:15-6:15-9:15

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PEEL REGION

CINÉ STARZ

377 Burnhamthorpe Rd. E.,
905-290-2401

Angels & Demons (14A) Fri-Thu 9
The Hangover (14A) Fri-Thu 12-1:45-3:30-5:15-7
Hannah Montana: The Movie (G) Fri-Thu 12-5:15
Monsters vs. Aliens (PG) Fri-Thu 12-1:35
My Sister's Keeper (PG) Fri-Thu 3:15-7:10
Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (PG) Fri-Thu 12-1:45-3:30-7
Orphan (14A) Fri-Thu 5:05-8:50
Public Enemies (14A) Fri-Thu 8:45
Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:20-7-9:35

COLISEUM 10

309 Rathburn Rd., 905-275-3456

Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-Thu 1-3:50

The Proposal (PG) Fri-Sat 6:40-9:40 Sun 6:40 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:40
Up in Disney Digital 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:6:10-9

WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8

COURTNEY PARK 16

110 Courtney Park Dr., 905-362-1210

Bandslam (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 1:20-7:30 Mon-Thu 1:20-7:30
District 9 (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sat 11:40-12:50-1:30-2:30-3:50-4:20-5:20-7:15-8:15-9:15-10:11-11 Special Engagement Sun 11:40-12:50-1:30-2:30-3:50-4:20-5:20-6:30-7:15-8:15-9:15-10:11
The Final Destination (STC) Special Engagement, Digital Thu 12:01
Funny People (14A) Fri-Sun 11:10-4:50-10:35 Mon-Thu 4:50-10:35
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sat 11:15-4:45-8:15 Sun-Thu 1:55-4:45-8:10-4:55 SDDS Digital Fri-Wed 1:15-4:10-7:05-10:05 SDDS Digital Thu 1:15-4:10-7:05
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 12:15-2:55-5:25-7:10-10:20

ORION GATE GRANDE

20 Biscayne Cr., 905-455-1590

Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-Sun 1:25-3:40 Mon-Thu 1:10-3:30
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Sun 6:25-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:15-9:10
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:15-4:15-7:10-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:05-9:50
Funny People (14A) Fri-Sun 9:40 Mon-Thu 9:35
G-Force (STC) Fri-Sun 12:55-3:10-6:45 Mon-Thu 12:50-3:10-6:50
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:35-7:20-10:15 Mon-Thu 1:25-4:10-7:10-10:05
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:50-7:05-10:25 Mon-Thu 1:50-5:10-8:30
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 2:15-6:40-10:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 2:30-6:35-10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 12:35-3:25-6:15-9:35 Mon-Thu 12:55-3:50-6:30-9:25
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 12:45-3:30-6:30-9:20 No Passes Mon-Thu 12:40-3:20-6:40-9:20

(PG) Fri-Thu 12:35-3:40-7:05-10:25
Love Aaj Kal (Hindi w/e.s.t.) (PG) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:45-8:45

A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Sat 2-4:40-7:30-10:10 Sun 2-4:40 Mon-Thu 2-4:40-7:30-10:10
Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:30-6:55-9:40

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:40-9:10

Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:45-3:10-6:15-9

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:50-7-10

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:45-6:35-9:20

WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8

SILVERCITY MISSISSAUGA

3055 Vega Blvd., 905-569-3373

Funny People (14A) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:30-6:50-10:10
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:40-7:30-10:20
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:50-7:40-10:05
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4:20-7:50

Thu 1:50-4:30-7-9:35

Shorts (PG) Stadium Seating, No Passes Fri-Thu 1-3:15-5:30-7:50-10:10

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Stadium Seating, THX Fri-Thu 1:10-3:50-6:50-9:40 Stadium Seating Thu 11

The Ugly Truth (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2-4:40-7:10-9:30

NORTH

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2331 Ninth Line, 905-257-8272

District 9 (14A) Fri-Sat 10:45 Sun-Thu 8:55

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 9:05

The Inglourious Basterds (STC) Fri-Sat 10:50 Sun-Thu 8:45

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Sat 8:45 Sun-Thu 11:30

Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG) Fri-Thu 11:20

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sat 8:55 Sun-Thu 11:05

AURORA CINEMAS

15460 Bayview Ave., 905-841-1789

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 9:30

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:40-4:20-7:10-10

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sat 12:30-1:30-3:40-6:50-7:20-9:40-10:15 Sun 12:30-1:30-4:45-5:50-9:40 Mon-Thu 12:30-1:30-4:45-5:50-9:40-10:15

The Hangover (14A) Fri-Thu 2-5-8-10:35

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince: The IMAX Experience (PG) Fri-Thu 11:45-3-6:30-10

Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 11:50-2:20-4:40-7-9:20

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12-2-30-3:20-6:30-7:10-10:30

Orphan (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:50-7:50-10:45

A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:25-9:50

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:15-2:40-5:10-7:45-10:10

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-1:15-3:45-4:15-6:40-7:30-9:30-10:30

Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG) Fri-Thu 12:10-3:40-7:05-10:20

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 12:40-5:05-7:20-10:05

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Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:30

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-1:40-3:20-4:40-6:30-7:30-9:30-10:30

Funny People (14A) Fri-Tue 12:10-3:40-7:10-10:20 Wed 4:05-7:10-10:20 Thu 12:10-3:40-7:10-10:20 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sat 1:10-4:10-7:20-10:25 Sun 1:10-4:10 Mon-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:20-10:25

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 6:15-9:50

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince: The IMAX Experience (PG) Fri-Thu 12-3:15-6:45-10:15

Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:50-9:20

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-2-4:20-6:20-8:30-10

A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Sat 1:50-5:40-10:10 Sun 1:50-5:40-10:10-10:25 Mon-Thu 1:50-5:40-10:10

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:30-7-10-9:45

Hard. (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 1-3:25-5:55-8:30-10:55 Mon-Thu 1-3:25-5:55-8:30-10:55

Halloween II (STC) Special Engagement Thu 12:01

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 4-10:15

Inglourious Basterds (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sat 12:05-12:45-3:30-4:15-7:45-10:30-11:15 Special Engagement Sun 11:15-12:05-2:45-3:30-6:15-9:40-10:30

Special Engagement Mon-Thu 12:05-2:45-3:30-6:15-9:40-10:30

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:35-4:35-7:40-10:40

A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Thu 2:20-8:05

Ponyo (G) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:20-2-4:40-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 2-4:40-7:20-9:50

Shorts (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:55-2:25-4:55-7:25-9:45 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 12-2:25-4:55-7:25-9:45

Taking Woodstock (14A) Special Engagement Thu 12:01

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:05-1:45-4:25-7:10-9:55 Mon-Thu 1:45-4:25-7:10-9:55

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Sun 1:05-3:55-6:55-9:50 Mon-Tue 1-3:45-6:55-9:40 Wed 3:45-6:55-9:40 Thu 1-3:45-6:55-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sun 1:35-4:25-7:25-9:55 Mon-Thu 1:40-4:05-7:25-9:55

SILVERCITY BRAMPTON

50 Great Lakes, 905-789-6797

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 9:45

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:15-7:20-10:20

G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:10-6:45-9:15

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:25-4:20-7:25-10:30

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:30-7:10-9:50

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 2:05-6:10

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1-2:10-4:50-6:30-8:50-10:15

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:20-6:20-9:20

Kaminey (Hindi w/e.s.t.)

Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:40

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-2:30-4-6:30-8-10

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:40-7-9:50

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:20-10:15 Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:30

SQUARE ONE

100 City Centre Dr., 905-275-2640

(500) Days of Summer (PG) Stadium Seating, Digital Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:40-9:10

G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Stadium Seating, THX Fri-Thu 2:20-5:7-30-9:50

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2:30-5:10-7:40-10

Julie & Julia (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:15

Kaminey (PG) Stadium Seating, Sub-Titled Fri-Thu 1:05-4:10-7:15-10:20

Life Partner (G) Stadium Seating, Sub-Titled Fri-Thu 2:10

Love Aaj Kal (PG) Stadium Seating, Sub-Titled Fri-Thu 6:30-9:20

Ponyo (G) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 12:20-3:50-6:20-9:10

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-7-9:50

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 2:30-5:7-50-10:20

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:40-8

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:10-6:30-10:10

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4-6:50-9:40

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 2-4:30-7:30-9:55

Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:20-4:50-7:40-10:15

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Wed 1-3:50-7:20-10:05 Thu 3:50-7:20-10:05 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:10-6:40

COLOSSUS 19

3555 Hwy 7 West, 905-851-1001

(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-4:45-7:35-10:40

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:15-10:25

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-1:40-4:10-4:40-7:10-7:40-10:10-10:40

Fri-Thu 12:20-3:50-6:20-9:10

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10909 Yonge St., 905-770-6998

Bandslam (PG) Fri 4:20-6:45 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:20-6:45 Mon-Thu 4:20-6:45

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri 4:40-7:20-9:55 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:20-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:20-9:55

G-Force (STC) Fri 3:30-7:20 Sat-Sun 1-3:30-7:20 Mon-Thu 3:30-7-9:20

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri 3:50-6:40-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:40-9:30

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri 4:50-7:50-10:05 Sat-Sun 2-4:50-7:50-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:50-10:05

The Inglourious Basterds (STC) No Passes Fri 3:40-6:50-10:10 No Passes Sat-Sun 12:30-3:40-6:50-10:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 3:40-6:50-10:10

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri 4:10-7:10-10 Sat-Sun 12:40-4:10-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:10-10

Post Grad (PG) Fri 4:30-7:40

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Empire

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Alliance Atlantis

Rainbow Cinemas

Independent

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9:50 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:30-7:40-9:50
 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:40-9:50
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri 4:15-6:30-9:10 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:30-4:15-6:30-9:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:15-6:30-9:10
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri 4:30-7:40-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:30-7:40-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:40-9:50
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu 9:40

FIRST MARKHAM PLACE

3275 Hwy 7 E., 905-474-5101

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Sun 10:15 Mon-Thu 10
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 1:35-4:30-7:40-10:20 No Passes Mon-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:40-10:30
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:30-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 1:30-4:40-7:20-10:10
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:20-6:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 1:40-4:10-7-9:10
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sun 12:10-3:40-6:55-10:10 Mon-Thu 12:50-4:30-8
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Sun 12:30-3:40-7:10-10:30 No Passes Mon-Thu 2:15-6:30-10:20
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:50-6:40-9:30 Mon-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:30
Ponyo (G) Fri-Sun 1:4-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 1:15-3:50-6:50-9:20
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 12:25-4:10-7:30-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 12:30-4:7-9:40
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:20-7:10-9:55 Mon-Thu 1:30-7:10-9:50
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:50-7:50 Mon-Thu 2:45-7:45

INTERCHANGE 30

30 Interchange Way, 905-760-1911

17 Again (PG) Fri-Sun 11:10-1:40-4:10-7:05-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:05-9:20
Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-2:55-5:15-7:45-9:55 Mon-Thu 2:55-5:15-7:45-9:55
Angels & Demons (14A) Fri-Sun 12:20-3:20-6:20-9:25 Mon-Wed 3:20-6:20-9:25 Thu 3:20-6:20
Brüno (18A) Fri-Sun 10:55-12:55-2:55-4:55-6:55-9:05 Mon-Wed 2:55-4:55-6:55-9:05 Thu 2:55-4:55-6:55
Drag Me to Hell (14A) Fri-Sun 11:20-2:05-4:40-7:25-9:50 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:40-7:25-9:50
Funny People (14A) Fri-Sun 11:50-3:05-6:15-9:20 Mon-Thu 3:05-6:15-9:20
G-Force (STC) Fri-Sun 11:15-12:30-1:35-2:45-3:34-5:05-6:15-7:30-8:30-9:45
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Digital Fri-Sun 11:45-2-4:30-7:15 Digital Mon-Thu 2-4:30-7:15

Ghosts of Girlfriends Past (14A) Fri-Sun 11:50-2:20-5:10-7:50-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:20-5:10-7:50-10:05
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Sun 11:15-12:15-1:45-2:45-4:15-5:15-6:45-7:45-9:15-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:45-4:15-5:15-6:45-7:45-9:15-10:10
I Love You, Man (14A) Fri-Sun 11:20-1:55-4:35-7:25 Mon-Wed 4:35-7:25 Thu 4:35-7
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 10:45-12:05-1:30-4:15-6:7-15-9-10 Mon-Thu 3:4-15-6:7-15-9-10
Kaminey (PG) Fri-Sun 12:20-3:25-6:25-9:35 Mon-Thu 3:25-6:25-9:35
Love Aaj Kal (PG) Fri-Sun 12:10-3-6-8:55 Mon-Thu 3-6-8:55
My Sister's Keeper (PG) Fri-Sun 11:45-2:25-5-7:35-10 Mon-Thu 2:25-5-7:35-10
Ponyo (G) Fri-Sun 11:30-2:15-4:45-7:15-9:45 Mon-Thu 2:15-4:45-7:15-9:45
The Proposal (PG) Fri-Sun 11:1-1:50-3:30-4:25-6:10-7:05-8:45-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:30-4:25-6:10-7:05-8:45-9:40
Public Enemies (14A) Fri-Sun 11:55-3:10-6:35-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:10-6:35-9:30
Shorts (PG) Fri-Sun 11:12:05-1:30-2:30-4-5-6:30-7:30-8:45-9:45 Mon-Thu 2:30-4-5-6:30-7:30-8:45-9:45
Star Trek (PG) Fri-Sun 11:05-1:50-4:30-7:10-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:10-9:55
State of Play (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:05-6:50-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:50-9:50
The Taking of Pelham 123 (14A) Fri-Sun 11:55-2:30-4:55-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 2:30-4:55-7:20-9:50
Terminator Salvation (14A) Fri-Sun 11:05-1:40-4:20-6:55-9:40 Mon-Thu 4:20-6:55-9:40
Valentino: The Last Emperor (PG) Fri-Sun 11:35-1:55-4:10-6:40-9:05 Mon-Wed 4:10-6:40-9:05 Thu 4:10-6:40
Year One (14A) Fri-Sun 12:10-2:25-4:50-7:25-9:35 Mon-Thu 2:25-4:50-7:25-9:35

PROMENADE MALL

1 Promenade Circle, 416-494-9371

District 9 (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:20-6:55-9:25
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:10-7:20-9:20
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:35
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 1-3:50-6:45-9:30 Mon 3:50-6:45-9:30 Tue-Thu 1:30-4:15-7:30-10:30
Shorts (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-2:50-5-7:10-9:10
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:6:50-9:15
SILVERCITY NEWMARKET 18151 Yonge St., 905-953-2792
Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 10:20
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:3-50-7:20-10:30

G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 2:40-7:10-9:30
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:25-7:30-10:30
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 2:10-4:40-7:50-10:15
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sat 12-3:25-6:55 Sun 12-3:25 Mon-Thu 12-3:25-6:55
Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs 3D (PG) Fri-Thu 2:30-5-7:40-10
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:15-6:30-10:10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:40-6:35-9:50
Metropolitan Opera: La Fille du Régiment (STC) Sat 12
Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:30-6:45-9:40
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:20-5:10-8-10:25
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:35-3:55-7:9-45
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:45-6:40-9:20
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri 12:45-3:20-6:20-9:10 Sat 4:25-7:30-10:30 Sun 12:45-3:20-7:25 Mon-Thu 12:45-3:20-6:20-9:10
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SILVERCITY RICHMOND HILL

8771 Yonge St., 905-709-3199

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 6:05-8:45
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:15-10:15
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:20-6:50-9:10
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:35-6:30-9:20
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:30-7:10-9:40
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sat 12:20-3:40-7:05-10:30 Sun 12:20-3:40-7:05-10:30
Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:10
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:10-2:20-3:30-6:20-7-10-10:35
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:15-3:05-6:10-9
Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 1:3-4:5-6:40-9:30
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:7-20-9:50
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Sat 12:30-3-6-8:25 No Passes Sun 12:30-3-5-15-7-20-9:45 No Passes Mon-Thu 12:30-3-6-8:25
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Wed 1:30-4:05-6:45-9:35 Thu 4:05-6:45-9:35 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sat 1:50-4:20-7:30-10:10 Sun 1:50-4:20-7:30 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:20-7:30-10:10
WWE Summerslam - 2009 (STC) Sun 8

HALTON**GALAXY CINEMAS MILTON**

1175 Maple Ave., 905-864-1666

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:10-7:10-9:55
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-6:45-9:15
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:7-9:50
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:20-

7:15-9:35
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2-6:30-10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1-3:50-6:50-9:40
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:20-9:45
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Wed 1:15-3:55-6:40-9:30 Thu 3:55-6:40-9:30 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1

SILVERCITY BURLINGTON 8

1250 Brant St., 416-646-0444

Bandslam (PG) Fri-Sat 1:10-6:50 Sun 1:10 Mon-Thu 1:10-6:50
District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30
Funny People (14A) Fri-Thu 3:45-9:40
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:15-10:15
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:10
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu 12-3:20-6:40-10
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2-6:30-10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:4-7-10
Ponyo (G) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:30
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:40-4:40-7:40-9:50
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:05-4:05-7:05-9:30
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Tue 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 Wed 4:20-7:20-10:20 Thu 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sat 1:25-4:25-7:25-10:25 Sun 1:25-4:25-7:25 Mon-Thu 1:25-4:25-7:25-10:25
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SILVERCITY OAKVILLE

3531 Wycroft Road, 905-827-7173

District 9 (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:20-4:05-7:10-9:55 No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-7:30-10:30
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:30-7:05-9:30
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:55-6:50-9:40
The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri 1:45-4:20-7:20-10:05 Sat 4:20-7:20-10:05 Sun-Thu 1:45-4:20-7:20-10:05
Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 2:30-6:40-10:10 No Passes Fri-Thu 2-6:30-10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1-3:50-6:45-9:45
Metropolitan Opera: La Fille du Régiment (STC) Sat 12
Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:40-4:40-7:30-10:15
Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:10-6:55-9:20
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Tue 1:15-4:7-9:50 Wed 4-7-9:50 Thu 1:15-4-7-9:50 Fri-Mon 1-3:45-7-9:30 Thu 7-9:30 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1 Wed-Thu 1:3-4:5-7-9:30

WINSTON CHURCHILL

2081 Winston Park Dr., Oakville, 905-829-2009

(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Sun 11:35-1:55-4:25-7:40-10:15 Mon-Thu 1:55-4:25-7:40-10:15
Bandslam (PG) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 11:14:5-4:30-7:15-10 Mon-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:15-10
District 9 (14A) Special Engagement Fri-Sun 10:45-11:30-12:15-1:30-2:15-3:4-15-5-45-7-7:45-

8:30-9:45-10:30-11:15 Mon-Thu 12:15-1:30-2:15-3:4-15-5-45-7-7:45-8:30-9:45-10:30
Fifty Dead Men Walking (STC) Fri-Sun 10:50-1:50-4:40-7:25-10:10 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:25-10:10
G-Force (STC) Fri-Sun 10:55-1:25-4-6:30-9 Mon-Thu 1:25-4-6:30-9
G-Force in Disney Digital 3D (STC) Digital Fri-Sun 11:45-2:15-4:45-7:10-9:45 Digital Mon-Thu 2:15-4:45-7:10-9:45

The Hangover (14A) Fri-Sun

11:40-2:25-4:50-7:25-9:55 Mon-Thu 2:25-4:50-7:25-9:55

Kaminey (PG) Sub-Titled Fri-Sun

10:30-1:30-4:30-7:35-10:35 Sub-Titled Mon-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:35-10:35

Love Aaj Kal (PG) Sub-Titled Fri-Thu

1:05-4:05-7:05-10:05

Orphan (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:15**A Perfect Getaway** (14A) Fri-Thu

12:20-2:40-5-7:20-9:40

Ponyo (G) Special Engagement

Fri-Sun 11:35-2:05-4:35-7:05-9:35 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:35-7:05-9:35

Post Grad (PG) Special Engagement

Fri-Sun 10:35-12:50-3:05-5:30-7:50-10:10 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 12:50-3:05-5:30-7:50-10:10

The Proposal (PG) Fri-Sun

11:20-2:05-4:50-7:35-10:20 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:50-7:35-10:20

Public Enemies (14A) Fri-Thu

12:30-7

Shorts (PG) Special Engagement

Fri-Sun 11:40-12:25-2-2:45-4:20-5:05-6:45-7:30-9:05-9:50 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 12:25-2-4:25-4:50-6:45-7:30-9:05-9:50

Star Trek (PG) Fri-Thu 3:45-10**The Taking of Pelham 123** (14A) Fri-Thu

12:40-3:10-5:40-8:10-10:40

Transformers: Revenge of the Fallen (PG) Fri-Thu

12:45-4-7:15-10:35

The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sun

11:45-12:45-2:30-3:15-4:55-5:45-7:30-8:15-10:05-10:45

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Bandslam (PG) Fri-Thu 3:30-9:55**District 9** (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:10-4:7-9:50**G-Force** (STC) Fri-Thu 1:15-3:35-7:05-9:20**G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra** (PG) Fri-Thu

12:15-3:10-7:10-10:05

The Goods: Live Hard. Sell Hard. (14A) Fri-Thu

1:45-4:30-7:30-9:45

Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Thu

12:05-6:35

Inglourious Basterds (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu

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Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu

12:50-3:55-6:50-9:40

Post Grad (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu

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Shorts (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu

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The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Wed

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The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Thu

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(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Thu

12:20-2:40-5-7:30-10

Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-Sun

11:50-2:20-4:35 Mon-Thu 2:20-4:35

Bandslam (PG) Special Engagement

Fri-Sun 11:45-2:25-5-7:35-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:25-5-7:35-10:15

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Funny People (14A) Fri-Thu 7-10:10**G-Force in Disney Digital 3D** (STC) Digital Fri-Sun

10:30-12:45-3:5-15-7:30-9:45

G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sat

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Sun 10:45-12:1

Billboard's top albums

1. Twang, George Strait, right; 2. Hot August Night/NYC, Neil Diamond; 3. The E.N.D., The Black Eyed Peas; 4. Hot Mess, Cobra Starship; 5. Only By the Night, Kings of Leon. METRO NEWS SERVICES



Music

Shiloh gets the Picture

Saskatchewan teen finally releases her debut album

CAM LINDSAY
for Metro Canada

Celine Dion, Frank Sinatra and Michael Jackson. What do these artists have in common? Well, if you were to ask the red and black haired spitfire from Regina, Sask., known simply as Shiloh, she'd tell you they're her biggest influences. That and "a lot of '80s music," thanks to her dad.

Her feisty, radio-friendly tunes like Operator (A Girl Like Me) and Goodbye, You Suck suggest this 16-year-old was raised on a steady diet of crunchy pop punk, but get her talking about Celine Dion and Shiloh is in awe.

"She's worked really

hard to get to where she is today," she says. "(Celine's) extremely focused and stays in shape, and she's got an amazing voice, determination, motivation, and the drive to be the best she can be."

While Shiloh's just released her debut album, Picture Imperfect, the way she describes Canada's most successful export it's as if she's planning a similar path for her burgeoning career.

After winning a radio contest in Edmonton, Shiloh signed a worldwide deal with Universal Republic and has spent the last two and a half years making the album. She calls it the "best feeling in the world" to finally have Picture Imperfect available to her growing legion of fans, so she can continue spreading a message that she feels is important to hear.

"The message is just being yourself and never letting that go because that's



Picture Imperfect is the debut album from Shiloh.

one thing that you can always keep," she says. "Nobody can take who you are away from you, no matter how you dress or who you are."

Though most of the al-

bum focuses on the importance of being yourself, Shiloh's favourite song is actually the kiss off anthem Goodbye, You Suck, which she wrote about an unsuspecting ex-boyfriend of

"Nobody can take who you are away from you, no matter how you dress or who you are."

Shiloh

hers. "It was to a guy I was with who was a complete and total jerk, so I wrote a song about it because I just hated him at the time," she says laughing. "I've talked to him in the last while and it's totally fine. It's a little bit awkward though because he asked me one day if the song was about him and I just said no."

The song will definitely be a crowd favourite on her 17-date headlining Canadian tour throughout August and September. "The tour is gonna be so exciting," she exclaims. "I'm looking forward to getting out there with the band to see all of my fans. They're gonna be energy packed shows. I like to call it an ADHD show because I like to run around and be crazy. It's gonna be absolutely amazing."

Metro recommends

• Nice, Nice, Very Nice, Dan Mangan:

Vancouver singer-songwriter bears his soul and delivers a wide range of ornate indie folk-rock.



• La Roux, La Roux:

Super-catchy U.K. electro-pop soaked in '80s synths, crisp dance beats and Elly Jackson's sharp falsetto.



• The Phenomenal Hand-clap Band, The Phenomenal Handclap Band:

NYC collective jam out funky, psychedelic space-rock laced with disco beats and a touch of cowbell.



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Shiloh live

- Shiloh plays the CNE Bandshell on Aug. 30.

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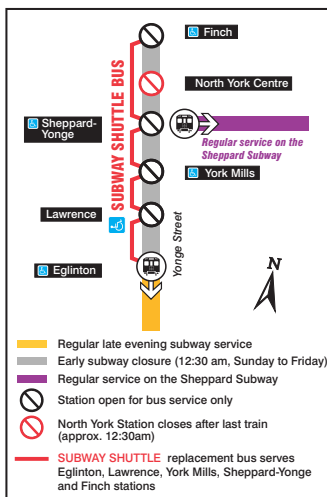


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- Finch, Sheppard-Yonge, York Mills, Lawrence stations
- No Subway service
- Stations remain open for bus service

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Ohbijou take it to the bank

Friends In Bellwoods charity event and album raise money for the Daily Bread Food Bank

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For many Canadian artists, a European tour is the stuff that dreams are made of — traversing across beautiful, historic landscapes and playing to new audiences while struggling with different languages and currency exchange. For Toronto's Ohbijou, it's about to become a recurring dream come true.

Having played some shows across England, as well as in Paris and Amsterdam back in May, the orchestral indie band released their sophomore album *Beacons* in June both in Canada and the U.K. European demand is taking them back in September for a tour that adds Ireland, Wales, Belgium and Germany to the itinerary.

"Touring Europe was an amazing experience for all of us, and we are very much looking forward to heading back, this time for even longer!" says percussionist James Bunton.

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Toronto orchestral indie band Ohbijou released their sophomore album *Beacons* in June both in Canada and the U.K.

though he and his bandmates look forward to going overseas, Bunton can't help but show that a subsequent Canadian tour in October has the band even more excited.

"Touring Europe is a fantastic time, but there is something still unmatched about driving across Canada and getting to know the people and places that make up the beautiful country that we live in," he says patriotically.

Before they board their international flight, however, Ohbijou have some business to take care of in Toronto.

Specifically, they're set to begin the second phase of their charitable drive called Friends in Bellwoods, which gathers together the community that has helped their music

grow to benefit the Daily Bread Food Bank.

"(Band members) Casey and Jenny Mecija lived in a house on Bellwoods Avenue, which was quite the hub for bands and music," explains Bunton. "Some-

time in 2006, Casey and I were talking about how it would be great to have some sort of collection of all of the people and projects who had passed through there or were in some way connected to the house and all that it had fostered.

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James Bunton

compilation."

The album raised over \$11,000 for the Food Bank, and now Ohbijou have assembled a second volume that includes music from The Acorn, Final Fantasy, Sebastian Grainger, and of course, Ohbijou, among 36 others. As well, some special concerts have been announced as release par-

ties. Adds singer/multi-instrumentalist Casey Mecija, "The parties being held are definitely massive love-ins — one show has 20-plus bands playing short sets. We wanted to go big with the release of this compilation because we are so proud of it and want to raise as much money as possible for the Daily Bread Food Bank."

Friends In Bellwoods

• The Friends In Bellwoods II Release Party takes place over two days — Aug. 28 at Lee's Palace and Aug. 29 at The Tranzac. For details visit friendsinbellwoods.com.

The result was the first Friends In Bellwoods

Tito Jackson says he will pay tribute to his brother

PEOPLE Tito Jackson says he plans to pay tribute to his brother Michael during a British tour later this year.

Jackson is supporting

soul diva Gladys Knight on a tour starting Oct. 6 in Manchester.

Concert promoters said Thursday that the 55-year-old musician would perform songs by Michael and by the Jackson 5 during the *Midnight Train to Love* tour.

They said other Jackson family members would also make appearances on the tour. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

TOP 10 RINGTONES

1. I Gotta Feeling, Black Eyed Peas
2. I Know You Want Me, Pitbull
3. Fire Burning, Sean Kingston
4. Boom Boom Pow, Black Eyed Peas
5. Birthday Sex, Jeremih
6. Day 'N Nite, Kid Cudi
7. One Time, Justin Bieber
8. Knock You Down, Kerli Hilson
9. Paparazzi, Lady Gaga
10. I'm On a Boat, Lonely Island

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ROGERS

Where stars are born

It's tough to pinpoint what Devyne Stephens does to take an artist's promising career to the next level.

That's because he doesn't specialize in just one thing. He can negotiate record deals, teach trendy dance routines, see if a song is hot or not, determine whether a certain career is heading down the right path and run two record labels.

Top hitmaker Akon says he wouldn't have reached his full potential if it wasn't for Stephens.

"Devyne taught me how the (music) game works," says the multiplatinum singer, songwriter and producer.

"I would just be around Devyne, watch him and that's how I developed," he

added. "I got in because of Devyne."

In almost two decades, Stephens has gathered a long list of high-profile clients. He's

worked with Usher since the Grammy-winning singer was 12, choreographed for Diddy, and helped Mary J. Blige transform her street fashion style into a more sleek and glamorous look. From wanna-be-superstars to the real thing, artists rely on Stephens' personal hand to help guide their careers.

"It's all about seeing the process of change and making ideas come into

fruition," says the 39-year-old

Stephens, as he sits upstairs at The Complex — a development facility he started five years ago. It's a one-stop shop where novice acts can go through a 30-to-60 day program that includes media training, a vocal coach, choreography, a fitness program and an overall evaluation before being shipped to a label for a record deal.

R&B singer Ciara trained at Stephens' facility before she became a one-named sensation back in 2004 with Goodies.

Stephens was signed in the early 1990s by LaFace



Devyne Stephens

Records with his own group, Devyne, featuring 90 Miles Per Hour. With LaFace, Stephens groomed Grammy-award winning group TLC and Pebbles as a choreographer.

"Michael Jackson is the best dancer I've ever seen and Devyne is my second favourite in the world," says T-Boz of TLC, who attended high school with Stephens. "So many, like Ciara, Diddy, Mariah Carey, all want something from him. He pulled stuff out of me I didn't even know I had inside me." **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Surviving the dog days of summer

SoundCheck

Alan Cross

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The last two weeks of August are a rather desperate time. Those who have already exhausted their summer vacations are grumpy over the prospect of no time off until Christmas. They can't get any work done because the people they need couldn't get away until now. At home, frazzled parents deal with bored kids who know that they're mere days away from the start of school.

No wonder vacation Bible schools are all scheduled for this time of year. Meanwhile, signs for fall fairs point to the inevitable slide toward a dark and cold winter.

That's the thing about us Canadians — no matter how nice it is outside, we're secure in the knowledge that it's only going to get worse.

If you're still with me after that cheerful preamble, here are a couple of musical things that may distract you from the fact that in two



U2 touches down in Chicago on Sept. 12 to kick off the North American leg of their world tour.

weeks, it'll be Labour Day: **New Radiohead:** Something weird is going on with Thom and Co. First, for one pound sterling, you can download a song called Harry Patch (In Memory Of), dedicated to the passing of the last British First World War vet.

Then, quite unexpectedly, a second song called These Are My Twisted Words was leaked online by the band themselves along with some primitive ASCII artwork which may (or may not) point towards the release of a new EP called Wall of Ice. We'll see.

Solo Jack White: In the

year's best music documentary, It Might Get Loud (wherein Jack, U2's The Edge and Jimmy Page of Led Zeppelin swap guitar stories), Jack was challenged to write and record a song before the cameras.

It took all of ten minutes. Now people worldwide are buying Fly Farm Blues at 99 cents a pop on iTunes.

The iPad (or whatever they're going to call it): According to those who monitor activity at Chinese and Taiwanese electronics manufacturing plants, Apple's mythical tablet device — a combo music,

movie, email device, web browser and ebook reader — could be in production. Could its unveiling mark Steve Jobs' public return to work? Or will the Sept. 9 announcement focus on refreshing the iPod line?

U2 finally comes to North America: For the first time since 1984, they started a world tour in Europe. Reviews have been rapturous and The Claw stage has people gobs-macked. Things start in Chicago on Sept. 12.

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Whitney Houston is coming to Oprah Winfrey's famous couch. Winfrey, 55, will welcome Houston as her first guest on the The Oprah Winfrey Show's 24th season, which airs Sept. 14. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

Television

Jane Lynch top of her game in Glee

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Metro World News

Jane Lynch has had a busy month at the movies, stealing scenes alongside Carol Burnett in *Post Grad* and Meryl Streep in *Julie & Julia*.

But August is nothing compared to the exposure Lynch is set to receive come September, when the much-anticipated Fox

series *Glee* starts up in earnest.

The first episode — which opens with Lynch's domineering, over-competitive cheerleading coach chastising her team with, "You think this is hard? Try being waterboarded." — got a boost to its profile thanks to a sneak preview after the American Idol season finale and some major support from TV critics and fans at last

month's Comic Con.

And Lynch has been a major part of the marketing for the ensemble show. "I feel like I'm doing a lot of press," she says. But she's not complaining. "I'm not one of those people who's like, 'Deep down inside I'm really shy.'"

Though best known for standout roles in films like *The 40-Year-Old Virgin* and last year's *Role Models*, Lynch started 2009 firmly

committed to moving to light of day.

"My New Year's resolution was I want to hang my hat somewhere," she says. And that led her to taking part in two pilots, *Glee* and a Damon Wayans comedy for ABC that didn't see the

"I didn't know if it would be *Glee* or the Damon Wayans thing or anything," she says. But when the little show about a bunch of high school outcasts breaking into song got picked up, Lynch says she was

thrilled. "I think (*Glee*) is just head and shoulders above anything that's on TV. I don't want to sound like I'm bragging, but it's really good."

The reason it's so good, she insists, has little to do

with her (though many would argue that point). Lynch gives all the credit to her younger co-stars. "The kids are amazing," she gushes.

"These are talented people. They work so hard. I just sashay in and I sashay out. But they're recording and rehearsing and dancing and then shooting and getting up at five in the morning and working until 10 at night."

But it's more than worth it, she says. And if audiences liked the pilot, they're going to love what comes next. "The first episode I think is amazing," she says, "but it just gets better and better."

Glee premieres Wednesday, Sept. 9 on Global

FRIDAY

TO	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
265	353	2	TVO	India with Sanjeev Bhaskar	The View From Here	Heartbeat		Allan Gregg	Film 101	View From Hr		
211	331	3	GTV	ET Canada	Entertainment	The Unit "Bad Beat"				NUMB3RS (HDTV)	News	
215	343	4	OMNI	Two Men	Simpsons	Omni News: Italian Edition	Vivere II	Omni News:		Simpsons	King of Hill	Metropia
210	302	6	CBC	Coronatn	Jeopardy!	Quest for the West	Wild Roses (DVS)			CBC News: The National (N)	The Hour	News
214	344	7	CITY	Law & Order: SVU	Man Tracker (DVS)	Ugly Betty	Ugly Betty			Out There	Out There	News
212	313	8	CTV	etalk	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer	Castle (HDTV)			Criminal Minds	News	News
218	345	11	ET	The Insider	E News	THS Investigates				20/20 (HDTV)	News/Even	News
-	387	16	CBS	Inside Edition	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer				NUMB3RS (HDTV)	News 4 at 11	News
-	385	17	NBC	The Insider	Entertainment	Southland (HDTV PA)				Dateline NBC	News	News
-	386	18	ABC	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Supernanny	Ugly Betty			20/20 (HDTV)	News	News
219	346	20	ACH-B	The Road to Avonlea	Supernanny		Monk			Stargate Atlantis	A News	Simpsons
-	28	FOX	Judge Judy	Two Men	NFL Preseason Football Tennessee Titans at Dallas Cowboys (HDTV) (Live)					Maria Callas: Living	Wash. Week	Business Rpt.
-	388	61	PBS	News-Lehrer	Summer Wine	The Magnificent Ambersons (1942)				Larry King Live (N)	Anderson Cooper 360 (HDTV)	
500	500	33	CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight		Campbell Brown (N)				Sportsnet	Sportsnet	Sportsnet
405	417	22	net	MLB Baseball Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim at Toronto Blue Jays (HDTV) (Live)						CFL Pregame	CFL Football	
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556	540	51	FAM	Sonny	Johnny Kapahala: Back on Board					(9:02) The Secret Garden (1993)	The Little Treasure Hunters	
615	520	31	A&E	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds					Criminal Minds	Criminal	
575	583	38	CMT	Cross Canada Countdown (N)						The Con *** (1998, Drama)		
616	521	39	SHO	The Outer Limits		The Best Years				Kenny	Kenny	Webdreams
294	529	47	TBS	Family Guy	MLB Baseball Florida Marlins at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta.					Trailer Park	Trailer Park	Family Guy
581	566	52	MTV	4REAL	MTV News	Made Hip hop dancer.				True Love	The X Effect	Cribs
603	561	56	FOOD	Chef at Home	Fresh-Anna	Thirsty	Thirsty	The Real World		Bobby Flay	Chef Abroad	Diners
300	601	301	M1	Rocket Sci	(7:25) Out of Control (2009)					Quarantine *** (2008, Horror)	Jennifer Carpenter.	Boogeyman 3

SATURDAY

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211	331	3	GTV	Healthy Ever After (N)	The Unit	Doc				Doc "Lost and Found"	News Final	
215	343	4	OMNI	Na Luzie	Svitholad	Dusha I Tilo	Russian Waves			Where Shall I Go	MADtv	
210	302	6	CBC	WTA Tennis Rogers Cup -- Semifinal: From Toronto. (Live)						Intelligence (DVS)	Last Samurai	
214	344	7	CITY	Murdoch Mysteries (HDTV)	Murdoch Mysteries (HDTV)	The Snow Walker *** (2003, Adventure)				Law & Order: SVU	News	
212	313	8	CTV	W-FIVE (DVS)	Doomstown (2006, Drama)	Chris "K.C." Collins.				Law & Order: SVU	News	
218	345	11	ET	Out There	E News	Rich Poor	Rich Poor	Movie			News/Even	
-	387	16	CBS	Paid Program	Paid Program	Without a Trace				48 Hours Mystery	48 Hours Mystery	News 4 at 11
-	385	17	NBC	Paid Program	The Insider	Law Order: CI				Law & Order (HDTV)	Law & Order: SVU	News
-	386	18	ABC	Paid Program	Paid Program	NFL Preseason Football Buffalo Bills at Green Bay Packers. (Live)					News	
219	346	20	ACH-B	The Road to Avonlea	Wall of Secrets (2003, Suspense)	(DVS)				Jeff Ltd.	Comedy Inc.	A News
-	28	FOX	Fresh Prince	Paid Program	Cops	Cops	America's Most Wanted			Simpsons	Simpsons	MADtv
-	388	61	PBS	All Creatures Great & Small	Lark Rise to Candleford	Sherlock Holmes	Poirot			Newsroom	Masterpiece	Camp. Brown
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551	542	25	YTV	Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	Survive This	Adrenaline	In Real Life		Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	Mystery Hnt.
554	544	45	TEL	Tom and Jerry: Shiver Me Whiskers (2006)	Johnny Test	Futurama	Chicken	Clone High		Prank Patrol	Rick & Steve	Moral Ore
556	540	51	FAM	Suite Life	Zoe 101	Zack & Cody	Han. Montana	With Honors *** (1994, Drama)			(10:43) Miracle	
615	520	31	A&E	CSI: Miami (HDTV)	CSI: Miami (HDTV)					CSI: Miami		The Sopranos
575	583	38	CMT	Canadian Country Music Awards						Tuckerville	Tuckerville	Blue Rodeo
616	521	39	SHO	(6) Legacy of Fear	Devil's Diary (2007, Suspense)	Deanna Casaluce.				Transpoting *** (1996, Drama)		
294	529	47	TBS	MLB Baseball Florida Marlins at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field in Atlanta.						Seinfeld	House-Payne	House-Payne
581	566	52	MTV	Cribs	Cribs	After	MTV Live			Cribs	Cribs	Cribs
603	561	56	FOOD	Grill It-Play	Chef Abroad	Ramsay's Kitchen				Kitchen Nightmares	Hell's Kitchen	
300	601	301	M1	Pirates Who Don't Do Anything: Veggie Tales						The Wrestler *** (2008, Drama)	Mickey Rourke.	Personal

SUNDAY

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211	331	3	GTV	Family Guy	Amer Dad	(8:01) Big Brother 11 (N)				Simpsons	Family Guy	News
215	343	4	OMNI	Anjar: Heroes	Different Faces of Hockey					Metropia	Metropia	Corpo E Alma
210	302	6	CBC	Heartland (DVS)	Mission: Impossible III *** (2006, Action)					Mission: Impossible III	Doctor Who	
214	344	7	CITY	To Show	Less-Kind	Be a Millionaire				Miss Universe 2009 (HDTV) (Live)	News	
212	313	8	CTV	Merlin (HDTV) (N)	Merlin (N)	You Can Dance				Defying Gravity (N)	News	
218	345	11	ET	Mysteries	Deal or No Deal					To Be Announced	News/Even	
-	387	16	CBS	60 Minutes (HDTV)	(8:01) Big Brother 11 (N)	Neighborhood				(9:59) Cold Case	News 4 at 11	
-	385	17	NBC	Merlin (HDTV) (N)	Merlin (N)	Miss Universe 2009 (HDTV) (Live)					News	
-	386	18	ABC	Funnest Home Videos	Be a Millionaire	Shark Tank (N)				Defying Gravity (N)	News	
219	346	20	ACH-B	Funnest Home Videos	Hole in the Wall					Monk	A News	
-	28	FOX	Til Death	Amer Dad	Simpsons	Simpsons				Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Cold Case
-	388	61	PBS	The Lawrence Welk Show	Nature (DVS)	Masterpiece Mystery! (DVS)				Inside Adiron.	P.O.V.	
500	500	33	CNN	Newsroom	Campbell Brown	Larry King Live				Newsroom	Union	
405	417	22	net	MMA Conn	Baseball	MLB Baseball New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox. From Fenway Park in Boston.				SportsCentre (HDTV) (Live)	Sportsnet	
400	402	30	TSN	IndyCar Racing	2009 World Series of Poker	2009 World Series of Poker				Adrenaline	Survive This	Mystery Hnt.
551	542	25	YTV	Barnyard: Original Party	SpongeBob	Prank Patrol				Life's a Zoo	Rick & Steve	
554	544	45	TEL	Stoked (N)	Totally Spies	6TEEN	6TEEN	Futurama	Punch	Life's a Zoo	Rick & Steve	
556	540	51	FAM	Suite Life	Zoe 101	Zack & Cody	Han. Montana	Strange Brew *** (1983, Comedy)			Ernest Goes to Jail	
615	520	31	A&E	CSI: Miami (HDTV)	Criminal Minds					Criminal Minds	Criminal	
575	583	38	CMT	Cross Canada Countdown "Recap"						How Great Thou Art Grand Ole Opry.	Trace Adkins	Home Imp.
616	521	39	SHO	The Guard (HDTV)	The Unquiet (2007, Suspense)	Cara Buono.				Rescue Me "David"	The Guard	
294	529	47	TBS	Titanic *** (1997, Drama)	Leonardo DiCaprio, Kate Winslet, Billy Zane.					Cribs	Cribs	After
581	566	52	MTV	Made Hip hop dancer.	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Restaurant
603	561	56	FOOD	Challenge Chocolate.	I Do Eat	I Do Eat				Dinner: Impossible		
300	601	301	M1	(7:15) Kit Kittredge: An American Girl (2008)						Michael Clayton *** (2007, Drama)	Miracle-Anna	

Jane Lynch stars in *Glee*.

Charges brought in alleged fraud

CHARITY Four Hurricane Katrina evacuees are charged with wrongfully obtaining federal rental assistance after buying the Oprah's Angel Network charity, authorities announced Wednesday.

Darlene McGruder Poole, 30, of Houston, and her sister, Lashona McGruder Victor, 37, of La Place, La., are charged together with conspiracy to

commit mail and wire fraud, according to the U.S. attorney's office in Houston.

Kiesha Murphy, 34, of Houston, and Angela Payne, aka Angela McKinnies, 38, of Houston, are charged separately with theft of government property and making false statements to the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

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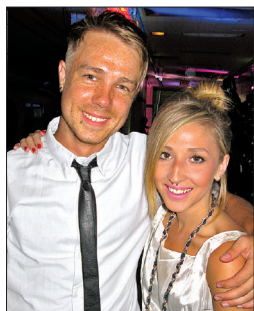
the hot ticket



by Enza Anderson

Enza brings Metro readers the weekly scoop on Toronto's hottest parties and events.

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Artist Justin Broadbent with sister Rose Broadbent.



Cocktail guest Lauren Davies.



Party guests, from left, John Sim, Sarah Bush and John Tidey.



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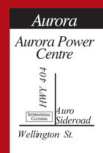
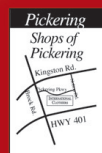
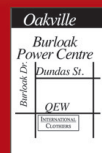
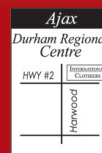
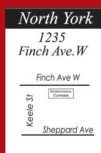


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